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TRUSTEES EXPLAIN

Tell Why Saloon License Was Increased By The Board

Editor DISPATCH-DEMOCRAT,

We are asked certain questions so often of late that we beg space to answer them publicly. The first is, "What is the immediate cause or necessity for the raise in the saloon license?" The answer is, "Urgent need for the revenue." The town has been receiving from $1800 to $2400 a year from the license on slot machines. The District Attorney, under instructions from the grand jury, has driven these out of the county. Whether the present board was right or wrong in continuing the license on them enacted by our predecessors in office need not be here argued. Revenue was derived therefrom and expenditures regulated in expectation of its continuance. This spring we must, besides the ordinary expenses of the town government (including about $5000 for wood contracted for already), have money to repair the streets. These, owing to the unusually long continued rains, are in very, very bad condition. So that the town while needing, because of the condition of the streets, much more money than we expected, has much less.

There are but two sources of revenue available, the property tax and the licenses. The property tax is very high, nearly up to the legal limit, and not collectible until next fall anyway; and therefore is not available for the present urgent need. It is therefore necessary to raise the license either on the saloons or on the merchants, or both. The natural effect of a considerable advance in a tax on a business man is a raise in the price of the articles in which he deals. We, and at least two other trustees, deemed it better to raise indirectly the price of beer rather than the price of groceries. We reasoned that an advance in prices of merchandise would drive some business (some country trade at least) out of town. Aside from this there has been so much trouble caused by certain of the saloons, and we had been so often told by those who had seen high license tried, that such measure would remove some of the ills of the business, that we were willing to try the experiment. We yet think that an advance in the price of "wet goods" or even the closing of some of our many saloons can be endured without serious damage to the town.

But we believe that public officials should be public servants. If the people show by their votes at the coming election that our judgment is disapproved, it will not be difficult to reduce the license on saloons, but the money will mostly have to be raised by added license tax on other lines of business, or our streets will have to go unrepaired this spring and unsprinkled next summer.

Next it is asked, "Where has the money gone—taxes are high and licenses not low?" The proceedings of the board are published monthly and these show where every dollar goes. But in general terms it may be said that a very large part of the money has been expended in enlargement and improvement of the electric light plant, and this expenditure was deemed absolutely necessary by every member of the board—necessary to preserve and make available the large investment the town already had there. As an illustration of the enlargement of capacity accomplished it may be stated that the [illegible] lights in February [illegible] the plant was then overloaded. The income last February was $751.75, and if the Grand hotel were lighted (as it would be but for repairs being made there) the monthly income from the plant would now be about $800; the increase $600 to $800 per month or 33⅓ per cent has been made without any advance in rates and is a fair index of the increased capacity of the plant. That more money should have been so spent if we could have spared it, is proved by the fact that the plant is still overloaded.

Finally we are asked, "Why the creation of the new position of 'executive officer' and the reduction in marshal's salary?" This ordinance received the unanimous approval of the Board. This is not a personal matter nor on account of any new emergency or new grievance, but is an experiment to try to remove a difficulty of frequent occurrence here and in other municipalities. Boards of trustees pass ordinances, but the town marshal must enforce them or they will not be enforced. He must make arrests, and he selects jury panels. We have heard of towns with an ordinance against dice shak-

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Redmen Entertain

Yokayo tribe of Redmen held an open meeting in Sanford's hall last Tuesday evening and invited in a few pale faces and fed them some corn and venison. The Glee club sang entertainingly and after the pipe of peace had been lit, the long expected debate was announced. The question was, "Resolved that there is more pleasure in anticipation than in realization." Messrs. Westerman and Pemberton affirmed while Messrs. Ruddock and Duncan denied. The discussion proved to be very entertaining, and sparkled with wit at times. All the speakers did well and the audience was well pleased with the entertainment afforded by the tribe and hope for another pow wow in the near future.

Easter Services

Special Easter services will be held next Sunday at the Presbyterian church. The following music will be rendered in the morning: Three selections from Concone's Mass in F; "Gloria in Excelsis," Credo; "In Carnatus" and "Holy, Holy, Holy, Lord," Monts; "O, Could I Speak," Mason; "Hark Ten Thousand," Mason; "My Faith Looks Up," Mason; "Evening," Kyrie; Concone's Mass in F; "Consider the Lilies," Excel; "Softly Now the Light," Von Weber; "Mighty God While Angels," Root; "Come Let Us Join," Mason; "Onward Christian Soldiers," Sullivan. The choir are Mrs. T. J. Weldon, soprano; Mrs. M. M. Carothers, contralto; P. H. Joseph, tenor; P. B. Westerman, bass; Mrs. P. B. Westerman, organist. The discourse at each service will be appropriate to Easter.

There will be special Easter services at the M. E. church, south, next Sunday at the morning hour. A fine musical program has been arranged and the sermon will be appropriate to the day. The Epworth League will have charge of the evening service and the exercises will be varied and interesting.

Tooley-Clark Nuptials

Miss Logan Tooley, who is known to many in Ukiah, was married last Monday in Oakland to L. Roy Clark. The bride is a daughter of Dr. L. R. Tooley, of Willows, but has made her home at the bay city for some time. She possesses a splendid contralto voice and is one of the most popular singers in San Francisco.

Chas. Tuck and Theodore Fulwider, two prominent farmers of Willits, were in town this week. Mr. Tuck paid this office a visit and took [illegible]

World's Fair Contest

The DISPATCH's Great World's Fair Contest is now on. Subscribers wishing to vote can hand subscriptions to the candidate of their choice or send direct to us. The vote will be published each week from now until the contest closes. The vote on Thursday noon was as follows:

FIRST DISTRICT

(Comprising Ukiah City and Valley.)

Bessie McGarvey, Ukiah,	–	–	2270
Bennett Pemberton, Ukiah,	–	–	2400
Bertha Williams, Ukiah,	–	–	1590

SECOND DISTRICT

(Comprising Hopland, Yorkville, Boonville, Christine and the South Coast from Elk to Gualala)

Jennie McElroy, Hopland,	–	–	2415
Bennie Halliday, Point Arena,	–	–	2392

THIRD DISTRICT

(Comprising the North Coast from Navarro to Bear Harbor)

Arthur McFaul, Union,	–	–	1715
Howard Brown, Mendocino,	–	–	1400

FOURTH DISTRICT

(Comprising the valleys north of Ukiah—Calpella, Potter, Willits, Laytonville, Round Valley, Etc.)

Mabel Saxon, Willits,	–	–	1913
George Squires, Covelo,	–	–	1610
Alice Talkington, Laytonville,	–	–	1460
Frank Cleveland, Coyote,	–	–	925

Votes, after having been once cast for a candidate, cannot be transferred. Candidates may enter at any time. Candidates sending in subscriptions will please write the names and postoffice address legibly and designate whether old or new subscriptions. Send in returns each week early enough to reach this office by Thursday, in order to insure publication that week.

Smith's Roads All Right

For the purpose of manufacturing capital for a certain Supervisor and detracting from others, a local contemporary prints the following this week: "Fort Bragg was without mail four days and Point Arena eight, but the stages from Cloverdale to Boonville in the First District never missed a trip."

We have investigated the matter and find that the mail road leading from Ukiah to Mendocino and Fort Bragg has been passable for vehicles at all times. Some short delays have occurred from small slides which had to be shovelled out, but such things occur on all mountain roads nearly every winter. The fact, so far as that route is concerned, is that the stage line has been short of horse feed for some time and the horses on a part of the route went for days with practically nothing to eat and were therefore unable to do the work. Private conveyances have been coming and going over the road right along. At no time has Supervisor Smith's end of the road been impassable. On Wednesday of last week Henry Gordon brot over from the coast in a heavy four-horse coach a load of nine passengers. Constable Waldo, of Fort Bragg, has been coming and going, and nearly every day some one or more come from the coast over that road. This is the truth about the matter.

Plenty of Water

The rainfall to date has been 51.49 inches. Dr. Geo. McCowen has kept the local rainfall for the past twenty-six years and reports that during that time this year's record has only been exceeded on two different occasions. The season of '89-'90 holding the record of 61.20 inches.

Mrs. Bettie Gallant and daughter, Miss Alice, went up to Willits by Tuesday's train [illegible]

Death of Mrs. Martin Baechtel

We greatly regret to announce the death of Mrs. Esther H. Baechtel, wife of Martin Baechtel, whose home for many years was in this city. Mrs. Baechtel's death occurred at Hagerstown, Maryland, March 28th, of apoplexy. Several months ago Mr. and Mrs. Baechtel and their daughter, Miss Ethel, went from California to Hagerstown, where Mr. Baechtel was born, to spend the winter in visiting relatives and old time friends, and they were enjoying a most pleasant time. Mrs. Baechtel's death was wholly unexpected.

The deceased was a sister of Mrs. E. M. Root, of San Francisco, and of John L. Hopkins, of Marysville. She leaves a devoted husband and one daughter to mourn her sudden demise. She was a most estimable lady and leaves a host of friends in Ukiah, Willits, San Francisco and in fact many parts of this state who will be deeply grieved to hear of her death.

Superior Court

MONDAY, MARCH 28, 1904.

Estate of R. E. Angle, minor—Order continuing until April 11, at 10 o'clock.

Estate of Frederick Rasmussen, deceased — E. P. Gilmore appointed executor to serve without bonds.

Estate of Niles Jasperson—Order appointing Mrs. Kate Jasperson administratrix with bonds fixed at $200.

Estate of John Nunes, deceased—Decree of due and legal notice to creditors and final account of administrator allowed and decree of final distribution as prayed for.

Estate of Gabriel Johnson, deceased—Decree of due and legal notice to creditors, final account allowed and decree of distribution, giving one half the property to the widow and one half to the minor children.

Estate of [illegible] the whole of the residue of the estate be distributed to himself as sole and only heir of deceased. Matter taken under advisement by the court.

Estate of Susan B. Colwell, deceased—Decree of due notice to creditors, final account settled and final distribution ordered.

Estate and guardianship of Lucy Keen, incompetent—Order appointing Charles Keen guardian with bonds fixed at $200.

A. H. Fleming vs. Maurice Donohoe—Default of defendant ordered entered, and decree of foreclosure and sale ordered drawn for sum of $919.74 and attorney fees $75.

County of Mendocino vs. H. N. Peters and Wm. Peters—Case ordered dismissed on the motion of District Attorney and defendants except to ruling of court.

W. C. Davidson vs John Thurman et ux—Trial set for 10 o'clock a. m., April 22, 1904.

C. Buoncrestiana vs. Justice Court of Sanel Township—Service of writ quashed.

Maccabees Give Banquet

Last Wednesday evening the Ladies and Knights of the Maccabees gave an open meeting in Sanford's hall and invited in about one hundred guests. After a short musical program all repaired to Mark's opera house where covers were spread for two hundred people. The banquet was one of the most elaborate affairs ever held in the town and all enjoyed the evening very much. Deputy Grand Master of the State, C. H. Iwing explained the object of the order and after a few toasts had been responded to the friends again returned to Sanford's hall for a social dance. Deputy Iwing has already succeeded in securing ten applications for the Tent and the Ladies have secured quite a number for the Hive. This order is becoming the most popular of insurance orders and has a large membership roll.

At the Christian Church

The Blues were four ahead in the contest last Sunday. The attendance was large in spite of the downpour of rain. The chapter reading was again above the 2000 mark. The Sunday school hour begins at 9:45 a. m.

The Thursday night preaching service is drawing good audiences. A series of sermons on "The Seven Churches of Asia" are now being considered.

An appreciative audience heard the lecture on "Martin Luther" last Sunday evening. The subject for this Easter Sunday evening will be "The Resurrection; Did It Happen?" Special service of music also. After Easter the regular series on church history will be resumed.

You are invited to worship with us. The Knights Templar will participate in the service at the morning hour, 11:15. The pastor will sing and Mrs. Wilkison will play a cornet solo. The choir will render some special music also.

Brennan-White Marriage

Married at the residence of the bride's mother, Mrs. L. A. White, at 155 Valencia St., San Francisco, March 26th, 1904, Mr. W. S. Brennan and Miss Minnie White. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. W. E. Dugan, pastor of the Presbyterian Memorial Church on Guerrero St. After refreshments had been served, the happy couple took their departure for the southern part of the State. They will visit Los Angeles and other places of interest before their return.

Pension Examiners

Drs. Rea, Moore and Dickson [illegible] been appointed by the [illegible]

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS

Many Short Items Concerning The Happenings of The Week.

W. E. Harvey was up from Hopland Tuesday.

W. N. McGill was down from Willits this week.

R. T. Gray and wife visited Hopland last Tuesday.

Howard Ornbaun was in town Tuesday from Yorkville.

Thos. Costain and wife, of Willits, were at the Palace Tuesday.

L. W. Savage, of Knoxville, Napa county, was in our city this week.

Charlie Thomas was down from the Walker Valley ranch Thursday.

Frank Cleveland recently returned from a rough-weather trip to Needle Rock.

Seth Williams is still at Dr. R. L. Cleveland's place being treated for cancer.

S. S. McGarvey returned this week from a short business trip to the metropolis.

Miss Edna Reeves is home from Stanford university to spend the Easter vacation.

Attorney C. F. Craig of Willits was attending to business at the courthouse Thursday.

The class of Miss Louise Ames [illegible] preparing an entertainment [illegible] early date in May.

Sam J. Zerbe, the Fort Bragg druggist, was in Ukiah on his way to San Francisco on business this week.

For the first time in many years Eureka, Humboldt county, was covered with an inch of snow last week.

The case of O'Neil vs. Jas. Stitt was on trial in the Superior Court Wednesday. The case was ordered submitted on briefs.

Mr. Wm. Pitt White, of Hoagli[illegible], Trinity county, was in town this week and took occasion to drop [illegible] and subscribe for the DISPATCH.

Miss Grace Marders, who [illegible] been attending school at San Jo[illegible] passed thru town last Wednesday on her way home to Potter valley.

Con H. Goldberg and wife came [illegible] from San Francisco Tuesday wh[illegible] they had been for the past few weeks and departed for their home [illegible] Covelo Thursday.

Jack Defoe resigned his position [illegible] the Arlington barber shop Satur[illegible] night and is spending a few days [illegible] W. A. Hagans' farm. H. L. Jack[illegible] took Mr. Defoe's place.

Our old friend the sun has [illegible] with us for two days and [illegible] the farmers of the valley are [illegible] around for men to go to work.

Senator Burton of Kansas [illegible] been convicted of taking a fee [illegible] corporation in violation of [illegible] as a Senator. He is [illegible] appeal, but if the verdict [illegible] will lose his seat in the [illegible] may be heavily fined.

Cornelia Rebekah Lodge [illegible] celebrated the tenth [illegible] its institution on [illegible] literary and musical [illegible] rendered and a [illegible]

Our fellow [illegible] seller, who has [illegible] months [illegible] to Ukiah [illegible]

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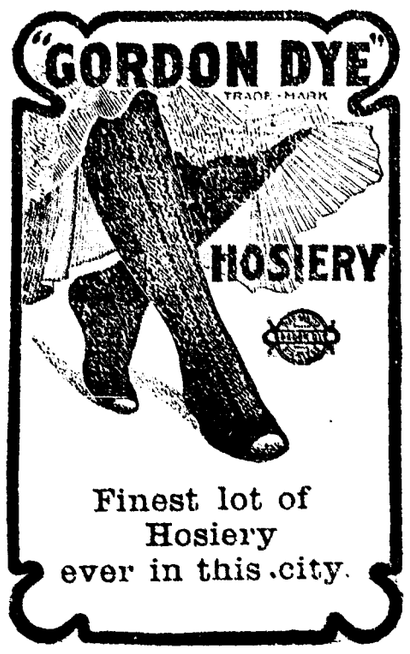

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Sunset should find a welcome in every Mendocino home. Subscribe thru some DISPATCH candidate, or send direct to this office. Subscriptions to Sunset, if taken with the DISPATCH, will entitle one to votes in our great World's Fair Contest.

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entitling person to 60 votes.	
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Sunset one year,	$1.00
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At Mammoth Tank, Salton and Volcano Springs there was no rain at all in the month of February.

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(Mr. Bryan's Paper.)

The Commoner has attained within six months from date of the first issue a circulation of 100,000 copies, a record probably never equaled in the history of American periodical literature. The unparalleled growth of this paper demonstrates that there is room in the newspaper field for a national paper devoted to the discussion of political, economic and social problems. To the columns of The Commoner Mr. Bryan contributes his best efforts; and his review of political events as they arise from time to time can not fail to interest those who study public questions.

The Commoner's regular subscription price is $1.00 per year. We have arranged with Mr. Bryan whereby we can furnish his paper and THE DISPATCH together for one year for $3.25. The regular subscription price of the two papers when subscribed for separately is $3.50.

The total receipts of the Corbett-Britt fight were $33,000, of which Britt got $15,592.50; Young Corbett, 9,157.50; Hayes Valley Athletic Club, $8,250.

A Thoughtful Man

M. M. Austin, of Winchester, Ind., knew what to do in the hour of need. His wife had such an unusual case of stomach and liver trouble, physicians could not help her. He thot of and tried Dr. King's New Life Pills and she got relief at once and was finally cured. Only 25c at Mathews Drug Co.

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Thousands Will Go East

The Santa Fe is already arranging to take people to St. Louis for the World's Fair. Thousands are asking what rates and accommodations may be had. In San Francisco the city ticket office of the Santa Fe has special clerks answering inquiries that come by mail. Every care is taken to see that details of the lowest priced as well as the most luxurious modes of travel are made plain to each inquirer. If you expect to go east this year, it would be well to address the Santa Fe, 641 Market street, San Francisco, as soon as possible. f5 7

Weather Figures For February

The following figures concerning weather conditions at Ukiah and Willits for the month of February, 1904 are compiled from the February report of the weather service of the U. S. Department of Agriculture:

At Ukiah it rained every day in February except the 1st, 2nd, 3d, 9th, 13th and 17th. At Willits every day except the 1st, 2nd, 3d, 9th, 17th and 20th. The greatest precipitation in one day at Ukiah was 2.68 inches on the 24th. The greatest at Willits was 5.77 inches on the 15th.

The total for the month at Ukiah was 17.29 inches, and at Willits 26.56 inches. The rainfall at Los Angeles for the same time was 2.68 inches and at San Diego 1.50 inches.

The temperature for the month at Ukiah was as follows: Highest 66 degrees on the 2nd, lowest 25 degrees on the 9th. Monthly maximum mean, 54.8 degrees, monthly minimum mean, 38.7 degrees.

The greatest rainfall at Branscomb in twenty-four hours was 7.85 inches on February 15th, and the total at that place for the month was 36.69 inches. At Needles, during the same time; the preci itation was 0.10 of an inch, which affords a startling contrast.

The elevation above sea level at Ukiah is given as 620 feet and at Willits 1400 feet and Branscomb 2000 feet.

A Great Sensation

There was a big sensation in Leesville, Ind., when W. H. Brown of that place, who was expected to die, had his life saved by Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption. He writes: "I endured insufferable agonies from Asthma, but your New Discovery gave me immediate relief and soon thereafter effected a complete cure." Similar cases of Consumption, Pneumonia, Bronchitis and Grippe are numerous. It's the peerless remedy for all throat and lung troubles. Price 50c and $1. Guaranteed by Mathews Drug Co.

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Second Instalment of taxes was due the 4th day of Jan., 1904, and will become delinquent on April 25, 1904, at 6 o'clock p. m.

No taxes will be received after the above date, when property will by virtue of law become the property of the state.

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ALL ALONG the COAST

What Has Happened This Week in the Fog Belt

FROM FORT BRAGG.

From the Advocate.)

Last Wednesday at Glen Blair an eight-pound daughter was born to the wife of Mr. Norgood.

Frank Roberts' little boy, about five years old, broke his arm last Wednesday for the second time by falling off a fence. Dr. McCornack set the limb.

The Monroe Lumber Company has the lumber out to build its new mill and will commence work on the same as soon as the weather gives evidence of being settled. The company intends to put up a first class plant, and will have a shipping place on the Devilbiss ranch. At present the company has forty or fifty men in its employ. John Cummings, the well known mill man, will superintend the construction of the mill.

Best Cough Medicine for Children

When you buy a cough medicine for small children you want one in which you can place implicit confidence. You want the one that not only relieves but cures. You want one that is pleasant to take. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy meets all of these conditions. There is nothing so good for the coughs and colds incident to childhood. It is also a certain preventive and cure for croup and there is no danger whatever from whooping cough when it is given. It has been used in many epidemics of that disease with perfect success. For sale by Mathews Drug Co.

Clear Lake has reached the highest point this season recorded for many years. At Lakeport the water is up to and around most of the buildings on the east side of Main street from 5th to the pavilion.

Men Past Sixty in Danger

More than half of mankind over sixty years of age suffer from kidney and bladder disorders, usually enlargement of prostate gland. This is both painful and dangerous, and Foley's Kidney Cure should be taken at the first sign of danger, as it corrects irregularities and has cured many old men of this disease. Mr. Rodney Burnett, Rock Port, Mo., writes: "I suffered with enlarged prostate gland and kidney trouble for years and after taking two bottles of Foley's Kidney Cure, I feel better than I have for twenty years, altho I am now 91 years old." Sold by E. B. Gibson.

Wants Pay For Knowledge

Twenty years ago Rev. J. D. Detrich came into possession of fifteen acres of worn out land in Pennsylvania, with two cows and a horse on it. Now he keeps two horses and thirty-five cows on the land and receives a large income. The Agricultural Department made arrangements to publish a bulletin giving Mr. Detrich's methods for the benefit of others, but that gentleman strenuously objects, unless he is well paid for the knowledge thus to be imparted, and for the inconvenience which will come to him by reason of having his little farm made a Mecca for the hundreds who will come to see how he does it. He demands a bonus of $20,000 cash in advance and $2000 a year thereafter. The dispatches say his demands will probably be met.

Nothing Equal to Chamberlain's Colic Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy For Bowel Complaints in Children

"We have used Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy in our family for years," says Mrs. J. B Cooke, of Nederlands, Texas. "We have given it to all of our children. We have used other medicines for the same purpose, but never found anything to equal Chamberlain's. If you will use it as directed it will always cure." For sale by Mathews Drug Co.

One-half the crop of asparagus in the United States is ruined by the floods near Sacramento and asparagus is bound to be high.

What Women Are Doing

The census reports indicate that women are entering many occupations which, until recently, have been filled exclusively by men. According to these reports there are some eighty-five women bootblacks in the United States, nearly 200 are blacksmiths and eighteen make steel boilers. More than 1000 earn their livelihood as "fishermen" and "oystermen," sixty are coal-heavers, fifty-nine mine for gold and silver, sixty-three are "quarrymen," and there are actually two women mortormen employed on street railroads. Twenty-one are stevedores and a much larger number work in brick and stone. Coming to the less laborious occupations we find nearly 8000 women physicians, more than 1000 lawyers and more than 3000 women clergymen; and so it goes, with 113 women at the end of the list who make their living by chopping wood!

Pirating Foley's Honey and Tar

Foley & Co., Chicago, originated Honey and Tar as a throat and lung remedy, and on account of the great merit and popularity of Foley's Honey and Tar many imitations are offered for the genuine. Ask for Foley's Honey and Tar and refuse any substitute offered as no other preparation will give the same satisfaction. It is mildly laxative. It contains no opiates and is safest for children and delicate persons. Sold by E. B. Gibson.

Will Interest Many

Every person should know that good health is impossible if the kidneys are deranged. Foley's Kidney Cure will cure kidney and bladder disease in every form, and will build up and strengthen these organs so they will perform their functions properly. No danger of Bright's disease or diabetes if Foley's Kidney Cure is taken in time. For sale by E. B. Gibson.

Must Pay $9,000

On Friday of last week Judge J. J. DeHaven rendered an opinion in the case of the United States against A. F. McKee, Frank Wagner, Calvin Stewart and Charles Cook, by which the defendants must pay for timber and tan bark taken by them from government land in this county. The damages allowed the government are $9,000.

A Thousand Dollars' Worth of Good

"I have been afflicted with kidney and bladder trouble for years, passing gravel or stones with excruciating pain," says A. H. Thurnes, a well known coal operator of Buffalo, O. "I got no relief from medicine until I began taking Foley's Kidney Cure, then the result was surprising. A few doses started the brick-dust-like substance and now I have no pain across my kidneys and I feel like a new man. It has done me $1000 worth of good." Foley's Kidney Cure will cure every form of kidney or bladder disease. Sold by E. B. Gibson.

Codlin Moth Bulletin

We have at this office half a dozen copies of a bulletin recently issued by the College of Agriculture, by C. W. Woodworth on the subject of spraying for codlin moth. The bulletin is very complete, giving full directions for varying conditions and locations. Those interested who desire copies can get what we have by calling at this office.

Sciatic Rheumatism Cured

"I have been subject to sciatic rheumatism for years," says E. H. Waldron, of Wilton Junction, Iowa. "My joints were stiff and gave me much pain and discomfort. My joints would crack when I straightened up. I used Chamberlain's Pain Balm and have been thoroly cured. Have not had a pain or ache from the old trouble for many months. It is certainly a most wonderful liniment." For sale by Mathews Drug Co.

Real Estate Transfers

Estate of Geo Haugsted, deceased, to Effie Haugsted—Part of lot 144, Yokayo Rancho.

Henry Meyer to E Brunner—Lot in Ukiah City: $100.

H B Hickey to North Coast Development Co—Lot 3 sec 4; lot 4 sec 5, se¼ of ne¼, sec 14, t 15 n, r 15 w, and sw¼ of nw¼, ne¼ of ne¼ sec 26, t 14 n, r 15 w; $10.

E O Hubbard to J K P Shelton—Lots 4 and 5, sec 35' s½ of ne¼ sec 34, t 19 n, r 13 w, 147.07 acres; $10.

John Inman to John Inman, jr—Lots 1 and 10 sec 19, lot 20 and sw¼ of se¼ sec 18, t 13 n, r 15 w, sw¼ of ne¼ sec 19, t 13 n, r 15 w, se¼ of se¼ sec 18, e½ of ne¼, nw¼ of ne¼ sec 19, t 13 n, r 15 w, 360 acres; $10.

Robbed the Grave

A startling incident is narrated by John Oliver, of Philadelphia, as follows: "I was in an awful condition. My skin was almost yellow, eyes sunken, tongue coated, pain continually in back and sides, no appetite, growing weaker day by day. Three physicians had given me up. Then I was advised to use Electric Bitters; to my great joy, the first bottle made a decided improvement. I continued their use for three weeks, and am now a well man. I know they robbed the grave of another victim." No one should fail to try them. Only 50c, guaranteed at Mathews Drug Co.

A young man wishing to live in the country would like to obtain some light work (outdoor work preferred) wages no object. Address J. O. L., 25 Oak Grove Ave., San Francisco, Cal. 1t

Steamer Pomo

Leaves Albion every Wednesday noon for San Francisco, touching at Point Arena. Leaves San Francisco every Thursday at 6 p. m., Mission wharf No. 2, arriving at Point Arena 6 a. m. Friday morning and at Albion at 8 o'clock. The steamer is a new one and has the best of accommodations. If you are going by water, take the steamer Pomo. tf

A Great Agency

We Have Secured Control for This City of the Fulton Compounds, the Only Things Known to Medicine That Cure Kidney Diseases in Both the Primary and Secondary Stages.

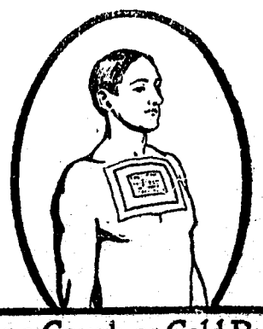
The kidneys are not sensitive and the disease is sometimes fastened and already chronic with the very first symptoms. If it has hung on eight to ten months it is surely chronic. In either case why take chances? Why not take at first the only thing known that cures kidney disease in the chronic as well as the primary stages. The Pell case cited below, by permission, is especially valuable, for its incurability was doubly confirmed by consulting physicians, and after recovery under the Fulton Compounds the recovery was also doubly attested.

On May 1st, 1902, the son of R. C. Pell, the manager of the Pacific Coast Biscuit Company of Second and Folsom streets, San Francisco, was declared by the family physician to have chronic kidney disease and incurable. Another physician was called in and confirmed the diagnosis. The whole body was swollen with dropsy, and a fatal termination looked for. The Fulton Compounds were then turned to as the only hope. On September 15 the dropsy had disappeared and the boy was well, and after double examinations the physician declared the recovery complete and gave Mr. Pell a written report which he now has.

Judge G. A. Cabaniss, the Police Judge of San Francisco, also attests the recovery under his own observation of a friend of his who also recovered when the case (chronic Bright's Disease of the kidneys) was well known to be incurable according to all medical authorities.

Up to the advent of the Fulton Compounds medicine knew nothing that would cure kidney troubles after they became chronic. About nine-tenths of all cases are now curable, even after they have developed into the dreaded chronic forms of Bright's Disease and diabetes. No statements are published or invited except from chronic cases that, like the above, are incurable by all other known medicines. If your kidney trouble is recent Fulton's Renal Compound will cure it quickly. If it is of over eight to ten months standing it is the only thing known that will save your life. John J. Fulton Co., 409 Washington street, San Francisco, sole compounders. Fulton's Renal Compound for Bright's and Kidney Diseases, $1; for Diabetes, $1.50. Free analyses made for patients. Send for pamphlet. We are the exclusive agents in this city.

HOFFMAN'S PHARMACY, E. B. Gibson, Prop



For a Cough or Cold Put a REX Porous Plaster On Your Chest

Everybody knows that a Porous Plaster is the best remedy for a cough or a cold, an ache or a pain. Nearly everybody knows that REX is the best Porous Plaster. Try it! The attachment will be mutual.

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Always the Best

November 1st we added 25 per cent to our space and we must [illegible] again immediately. Write at once if you desire to enter [illegible] reserve a place for you. We are securing more positions [illegible] than ever before. Enroll now.

C. E. HOWARD, Manager. A. S. WEAVER, [illegible]

San Francisco Business [illegible]
1286 Market Street, [illegible]

Have you voted for a Worlds Fair candidate yet? Help some ambitious youngster see the World's Fair. Of course you will [illegible] subscription some [illegible]

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To Cure a Cold in One Day

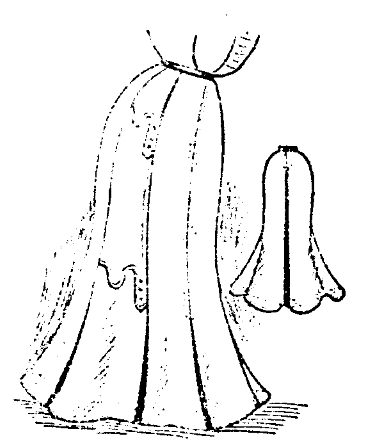
Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. Cures Grip in Two Days. This signature, E. W. Grove, on every box. 25c.

SPRING OPENING TOMORROW

The grandest lines and the latest styles will be shown tomorrow at the

CITY OF UKIAH

You won't believe your eyes when you see the values we offer you in Dress Goods, Wash Goods, Fancy Goods, etc., etc. You will see high class goods sold at prices that will convince you that the cash store is the store that saves you money.



LADIES' SHIRT WAISTS

The Shirt Waist is again the monarch of the hour. We pride ourselves that the collection of Ladies' Shirt Waists we are showing this season need take a back seat for nothing in America. We have on view an assortment of styles, patterns and colors which cannot fail to please the most fastidious dresser. We mean to have our Shirt Waist Department gain us many friends this summer, hence extraordinary efforts after high qualities and low prices.

A Swell Line of Ladies' Shoes

We most respectfully ask the Ladies of Ukiah and vicinity to visit our Shoe Department and see the new Shoes that have just arrived. The handsomest line you ever looked at and our new cash prices will make you smile.

Write for our new Spring and Summer Catalogue. It's free

H. MARKS & CO.

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Yorkville News

YORKVILLE, Mar. 28.—We are having a great deal of rain in our little burg. It has caused damage to stock raisers and has washed away several bridges.

Mrs. C. M. Hiatt was called to Boonville Friday. Her sister, Mrs. T. J. Handley, is dangerously ill of pneumonia.

Miss Madge Hiatt is the guest of Miss Lelah Hiatt.

Eddie Hogan and Jesse Lawson passed thru here last week.

Our school opened March 14 with Z. P. Millington as teacher.

Miss Eva Cooper is thinking of leaving us. She intends to go to Laurel Dell, Lake county.

Verney Ornbaun, a traveling salesman, was in our vicinity Friday.

There will be easter services in the M. E. Church, South next Sunday.

HIAWATHA.

A. Leger & Co

The tailors, announce that they are now offering their entire stock of fine cloths for men's suits, which were slightly damaged by water when their former place of business was burned, at one-third of their value. Three doors north of Palace Hotel.

J. S. Weiser, Eye Specialist

And opthalmic optician, of San Francisco, is now in Ukiah. If your eyes are defective and you value them call on this eminent and reliable optician. Mr. Weiser has demonstrated to people in his previous visits his ability as a competent and reliable oculist. His success in correcting all errors of refraction where others failed has been proven in the many complicated cases he has performed. He can be seen at Palace hotel.

[illegible] Bernard, the optical spec[illegible] San Francisco, who was in [illegible] week, will be here again [illegible] Monday noon till Wednes[illegible] Dr. Bernard comes highly [illegible] those desiring the [illegible] should consult [illegible] Office at R. L. [illegible] on Standley

Local And Personal

You can go fishing today if you desire.

Our streets are practically dry, and the ladies are out walking and buggy riding by the dozens.

If the weather continues fair hop work will begin with a rush right away off purty quick already.

Jonas Myers and wife, of Christine, are at the Palace hotel where they have been stopping since March 25th.

J. W. Eversole is now prepared to show a fine line of new styles in wall paper, lace curtains, carpets, etc. Also beautiful line of go-carts. 2t

We are indebted to State Superintendent Thomas J. Kirk for a copy of the new State Grammar School History. From a hurried examination we think it a great improvement over the old history.

Chico is to have the government plant station, the only one of the kind in the United States. The necessary fifty acres has been bonded. This will be a great advertisement for California, as well as for Chico.

Albert Hague announces himself this week as a candidate for city marshal at the ensuing election. Mr. Hague has resided in Ukiah for the past six years and has proven himself an industrious, well-behaved citizen. He promises if elected to faithfully and diligently enforce the city laws and perform promptly all his duties.

Our certificates of title embrace an investigation of the law as applied to each particular case. Ukiah Guarantee Abstract and Title Co.

Hats! Hats! Hats!

Our spring and summer lines of trimmed, ready to wear and children's hats are now ready. The best hat for the money has been our aim. We ask you to call and get our prices before purchasing elsewhere.

BUTMAN & ROWE,
McGlashan B'ld'g.

CASTORIA.
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. The Kind You Have Always Bought

Influencing a Decision.

An old treasury department official tells how the late Judge Gray decided one of the earliest customs classification cases to come before the supreme court of the United States. The article under consideration was a preparation of fish which had been assessed for duty as a sauce. The inferior courts had given conflicting opinions as to whether it really was a sauce, and by the time the issue reached the dignified supreme court the decisions either way were voluminous enough to confuse the most clear headed jurist.

Judge Gray examined the article, according to the Philadelphia Ledger, but could not make up his mind. His colleagues were equally undecided. When things came to a standstill it occurred to Judge Gray that a housewife would probably be better qualified to decide a matter of this kind. He took a sample of the article home to Mrs. Gray.

"Nonsense; that's no sauce; it's fish!" she said, and the next day the supreme court of the United States solemnly decided the article was not a sauce.

We Are All "Just Folks."

"My boy," said a man of the state of Texas to his son, who was starting out for a career in an eastern city—"my boy, let me tell you something which may be of help to you. You get up there, and you may see a heap of people who have got more money than you have, a heap of people who have got more brains than you have and more success. Some of them may even be better looking than you are. Don't you worry about that, and don't you be scared by anybody. Whenever you meet a man who allows he's your superior you just look at him and say to yourself, 'After all, you're just folks.' You want to remember for yourself, too, that you're just folks. My boy, after you have lived as long as I have and have knocked around the world you will come to see that that's all any one of us is—just folks."—Field and Stream.

Speaking of Grain.

In the United States when one speaks of "corn," maize is always meant. In England "corn" is applied to all cereals, especially wheat. In Scotland "corn" means oats. Germans use the word in the same sense as the English. Carlyle, being a Scotchman, in writing of Frederick the Great allows himself to refer frequently to Frederick's "meal carts," when, strictly speaking, he should have said "grain carts." What the bread of Frederick's soldiers was made of was wheat and rye, not "corn" in the restricted Scotch sense. In Scotland a "cornfield" is only a field of oats. Jamieson remarks that the term "corn" in northern Europe is used to denote that species of the grain most in use in any particular region. Hence in Sweden and Iceland the term denotes barley.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

For Supervisor: John Flanagan, of Mendocino, hereby announces himself as a candidate for Supervisor of the Fourth District, subject to nomination by the Democratic Convention.

For Marshal: Albert Hague hereby announces himself as a candidate for Marshal of the Town of Ukiah City, subject to the decision of the voters at the election April 11th, 1904.

For Assemblyman: A. J. BLEDSOE will be a candidate for the office of Assemblyman from Mendocino county election of 1904, subject to the nomination of the Republican county convention.

For Supervisor: C. P. Smith hereby announces that he is a candidate for re-election to the office of Supervisor for the Second District, subject to the decision of the Democratic Convention.

For Supervisor: M. L. Gibson hereby announces himself as a candidate for election to the office of Supervisor for the Second District, subject to the decision of the Democratic Convention.

For City Clerk: Jas. H. Carothers respectfully announces to the voters of Ukiah that he is a candidate for City Clerk of this city at the ensuing election April 11, 1904.
DEMOCRAT.

For City Clerk: C. E. Ganter respectfully announces that he is a candidate for City Clerk of Ukiah. Election April 11th, 1904.

Notice to Accountants

NOTICE INVITING PROPOSALS FOR EXPERTING, SUMMARIZING, AND REPORTING ON THE BOOKS AND ACCOUNTS OF THE CITY CLERK, CITY TREASURER AND CITY MARSHAL OF THE TOWN OF UKIAH CITY FROM APRIL 1, 1902 TO APRIL 1, 1904.

Sealed bids will be received by the Board of Trustees of the Town of Ukiah City, at the regular meeting of said Board, at the Town Hall, in said Town of Ukiah City, up to the hour of 7 o'clock p. m., on Monday, April 18th, 1904, for experting, summarizing, and reporting on the books and accounts of the City Clerk, City Treasurer, and City Marshal of said Town of Ukiah City, for a period of two years, beginning with April 1st, 1902, and ending April 1st, 1904.

Bidders are requested to state what they will do said work for. The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

By order of the Board of Trustees of the Town of Ukiah City.

J. E. PEMBERTON,
President

Dated, Ukiah, March 24th, 1904. m25-3t

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Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. The Kind You Have Always Bought

Notice of Sale

OFFICE OF THE TAX COLLECTOR OF THE COUNTY OF MENDOCINO, STATE OF CALIFORNIA.

Notice of sale of property of the state pursuant to Section 3897 of the Political Code.

Whereas, on the 14th day of March, 1904, there was received by me and filed in my office a written authorization under the hand and seal of the Controller of the State of California, which said authorization was and is in words and figures following:

NOTICE.

CONTROLLER'S DEPARTMENT, }
STATE OF CALIFORNIA. }

To the Tax Collector of the County of Mendocino, State of California.

Whereas, on the 17th day of March, 1902, there was filed and recorded in the Controller's Office of the State of California, certain deeds conveying to the People of the State of California the title to those certain lots and parcels of land hereinafter described;

And, Whereas, said deeds recite the fact that said property hereinafter described was struck off and sold to the People of the State of California for the nonpayment of State and County taxes, penalties, and costs, and all charges levied and assessed against said property for the year 1895;

And, Whereas, five years have elapsed since the date of said sale, and no redemption, according to law, has been made of said property, or any part thereof;

Now, Therefore, in pursuance of the law in such cases made and provided, I, E. P. Colgan, Controller of the State of California, by virtue of the authority in me vested by the laws of this state, do by these presents authorize, empower, and direct you, the said Tax Collector, to sell at public auction, in separate lots or parcels, the property hereinafter described, in the manner following: Public notice shall first be given of such sale by publication for at least three weeks in some newspaper published in the county, or city and county, or if there be no newspaper published therein, then by posting a notice in three conspicuous places in the county, or city and county, for the same period, which notices must state specifically the place of, and the day and hour of sale, and shall contain a description of the property to be sold, and shall also embody a copy of this authorization.

The property above referred to and hereby authorized to be sold, is situate, lying, and being in the County of Mendocino, State of California, bounded and particularly described as follows, to-wit:

NW¼ of SW¼ Sec. 29, T. 23 N., R. 17 W., M. D. M., Sold to the State July 3, 1896.

That no bid shall be received or accepted at such sale for less than the amount of all the taxes levied upon such property, and all interests, costs, penalties, and expenses up to the date of the sale hereby authorized, together with all such subsequent taxes as may have been levied upon such property, up to the date of the issuance to the State of the deed or deeds hereinabove referred to, with all interests, costs, penalties, and other charges thereon added to such subsequent taxes.

That said sale shall be conducted in all respects as by law governing such sales.

[SEAL] Given under my hand and seal of office, at Sacramento this 12th day of March, A. D. 1904.

E. P. COLGAN,
Controller.

By W. W. Douglas, Deputy.

Now, therefore, in pursuance of law and the statute aforesaid, public notice is hereby given that I will on Saturday, the 16th day of April 1904, at the hour of ten o'clock A. M., in front of the Court House Door at the main entrance to the Court House in the Town of Ukiah City, County of Mendocino, State of California, sell at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash, in lawful money of the United States, the said property hereinbefore in said authorization described, which authorization is hereby made a part of this notice, to-wit:

Situate, lying, and being in the County of Mendocino, State of California, and particularly described in said deed to the State above referred to as follows, to-wit:

NW¼ of SW¼ Sec. 29, T. 23 N., R. 17 W., M. D. M.

Taxes of 1895	$	5 04
15 per cent, 5 per cent and 5 per cent penalties		61
Costs		50
Interest		2 75
Taxes of 1896		4 32
15 per cent, 5 per cent and 5 per cent penalties		52
Costs		50
Interest		2 20
Taxes of 1897		4 18
15 per cent, 5 per cent and 5 per cent penalties		51
Costs		50
Interest		1 84
Taxes of 1898		4 32
15 per cent, 5 per cent and 5 per cent penalties		53
Costs		50
Interest		1 60
Costs of Advertising		28 75
Total	$	59 17

No bids will be received or accepted for said property for less than the amount of all taxes levied upon said property, and all interests, costs, penalties, and expenses up to the date of this sale together with all subsequent taxes that may have been levied upon said property up to the date of the issuance to the State of the deed referred to in said Controller's Authorization, with all interests, costs, penalties, and other charges thereon added to such subsequent taxes.

Given under my hand at the Town of Ukiah City, County of Mendocino, State of California, this 14th day of March, 1904.

ED. R. WRIGHT,
Tax Collector in and for Mendocino County
State of California.

Con. H. Goldberg
U. S. Commissioner and Attorney in Law Cases
Covelo, Cal.
Branch U. S. Land Office. All Government Land Business, Including Homestead Filings, [illegible] Attended to. Plats and [illegible] Furnished. [illegible] Solicited.

From Potter Valley

Bert Thomas is struggling along in his lonely widower life. He is in better health than a short time ago. He spends most of his time out on the mountains with his stock in the snow, and some of it at home in loneliness. He has the sympathy of his friends.

The Thorton Flour Mill, below Pomo, was running a few days last week, grinding up Potter Valley wheat. It turns out good flour and many people like to use home productions and prefer the flour made at home.

Mrs. Garsey of Ukiah spent a few days here last week with her daughter, Miss Garsey, who teaches the Centerville school. She returned home Monday morning.

Newt Barnett is pushing business. The Co-operative Store seems to claim a large patronage of the valley.

Every day the people are being impressed with the necessity of a bridge at the lower end of the valley. We all would be greatly accomodated by it. It is almost impossible to get through with heavy loads on the west side during the winter months, while there is a good road on the east side of the valley and it would be used every day by the upper valley people if the river was bridged. The cry is, "let us build a bridge at the lower end of the valley."

It keeps raining every day and night. Already 55 inches have fallen. The farmers are having a continued rest, but it is not without worry.

Mrs. J. F. Pickle has been on the sick list, also Mrs. Charley Pickle.

The Clay family miss their son Henry, who is in Ukiah attending school.

The measles keep going around. The youngest son of Bud Neil is reported to be down with them. The little girl in the Ed Lamb home and the girl at George Jones' home are said to be ill with the same disease.

The Spencer family of Pomo is enjoying the company of their mother, since her return from the north, where she was visiting relatives. Her daughter, Mrs. Jake Wattenberger and family, of Santa Rosa, are visiting her.

Charlie Frasier and Fisher Day spent a few days of last week in the monntains.

Hopland Items

As soon as the weather permits there will be a big demand for all kind of laborers. The hops are not plowed or pruned, and all kinds of farm work is behind.

Warren Dooley went to the city on the 25th to see the fight between Corbett and Britt. He says it was a great battle.

Deputy Assessor J. A. Knox is after the boys for road and poll tax.

The Lakeport stages have a difficult time getting through with the mails on account of the slides on the mountain roads. Sometimes the mail is brot in on horseback.

D. M. Lowe is able to be out. His foot is healing nicely.

Grant & Harris are getting along rapidly with their renovation of the Buckner Block.

Harry Shoemake came into town from his mountain ranch last Sunday. He says the feed is good and there is plenty of it.

Wood is quoted here at five dollars a cord and is very hard to get at that figure.

Mr. James McMahon is very sick here at his home. Dr. Rea, of Ukiah, has been in attendance on the case.

Mrs. Dick Shoemake was taken ill last Sunday evening, but is now improving.

Thomas Armstrong made a flying trip to Ukiah last Sunday.

H. P. Buckman spent a day at the county seat last week.

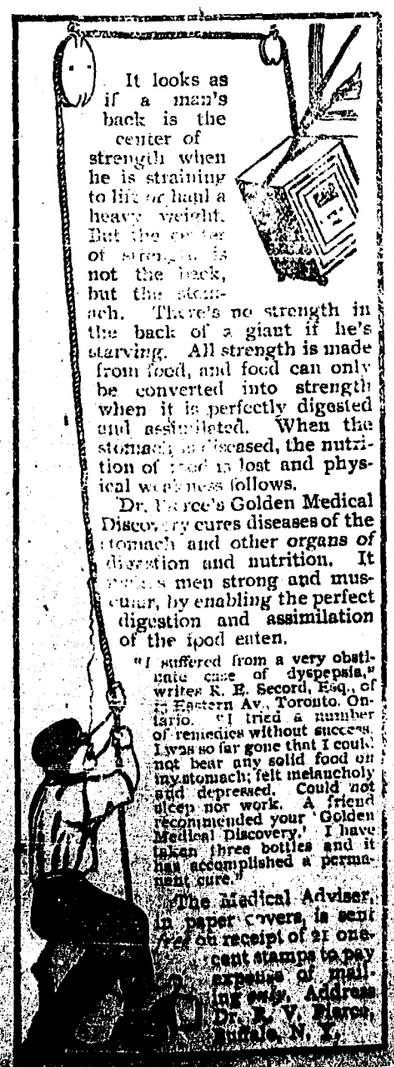
Frank Nelson has been under the weather for a few days, but is now able to be around again.

Harry Miller and Bert Thompson are doing the painting and the paper hanging in the Buckner Block.

Mr. Foster is having the cottage on the Clendenan place prepared for habitation. It will be occupied by Jack Boyd.

Miss Burke has returned to her home in El Robles after a lengthy visit in Hopland.

Mrs. John Henry of Largo was in town Monday. A CENTERSHOT.



Boonville Notes

BOONVILLE, Mar. 22.—We notice in the editorial column of the Press of Mar. 11th that we are fictitious, and write our communications in the front office of the DISPATCH. The editor of the Press is welcome to his opinions, but he has another guess "comin," and so far as casting inuendoes, nicknames and yellow journalistic communications, we are only voicing the sentiment of the majority of the people in this district, which the Press is kind enough to say is intelligent. We will admit that nicknames are not convincing, but as before stated "Muzz" is a term of endearment, and we see no harm in using it as it is also suitable to our honorable member. The Press also states that the official conduct of Mr. Rawles has been above reproach. Has a servant of the people a right to vote excessive taxes on the people and then use the money in the slipshod and incompetent way it is used in this district without reproach? Mr. Rawles tries to make it appear that he has no show to do anything for his district by having voted in opposition to the other members of the board on all questions with the exception of high tax, coyote bounty, and in regard to the office of game warden we admire his persistency in voting "No" after the District Attorney had clearly shown him the appointment was illegal. Official conduct beyond reproach! Ratz!

A person passing thru Boonville and not of observant kind would imagine the place to be dead, far from it. The salmon seem to keep everyone busy, as the squirrels are scarce, and the Boon'ter has to have some kind of bacon. But roads and politics are discussed in every secluded place. You can see two or three men sitting off by themselves asking one another, "Do you think he will run again?", and then they would side-track as a fellow would come toward them and be in a heated discussion about the Japanese and Russians.

I tell you the Supervisor fight will be the whole show here, and the election is liable to be about the first of May, as the people can hardly wait for November, and as the water has not been turned off of the roads this winter it will take most of the campaign fund to put them in a passable condition in the spring.

Since the road ordinance has been passed and is in effect "Muzz" has been harping bridge. Every time the creek raises he seems to be drawn toward the creek below town to see if the bridge is still there. Thanks to the poor work of the men the only damage done so far was to fill up the canal and wash out the wing dam, which, by way, saved the bridge.

JONNYINTHEADOBE.

For Sale—The best mercantile proposition in Ukiah at cost and carriage, on account of sickness. Enquire P. O. Box 66, Ukiah.

Our Great World's Fair Contest has now begun. Have you voted? Vote, and induce your friends to vote. tf

From our books we can tell you (while you wait) the cost of an Abstract or certificate of title on your land. Ukiah Guarantee Abstract & Title Co.

The ladies of the Christian church have a nice parlor organ for sale on reasonable terms. Inquire of D. M. Gibson. Apr 2t

Additional Local News

Gordon Baechtel, of Willits, was doing business in Ukiah last Saturday.

Geo. Finney left for San Francisco Sunday where he has secured a position.

Chas. Southard returned to the city Sunday, after spending two weeks with relatives in Ukiah.

A large new organ has been purchased for the Christian church. It was placed in position yesterday.

The entertainment given by the Ukiah Orchestra last Saturday night was greatly enjoyed by a full house.

Ed Porter, who has been ill with pneumonia, is about recovered and was able to be out for awhile yesterday.

J. N. Nuckolls was in from Redwood yesterday and called around to take part in our World's Fair contest.

Miss Florence Handy, who has been in the Hawaiian Islands for the past few years, is home on a visit to her parents.

In 1890 the rainfall at Santa Rosa up to March 28th was 60.92 inches and for the season it was 65.59. So Ukiah isn't so wet.

Porter Haggreen and Ed Fairbanks came over from Point Arena Sunday. They report the roads in very bad condition.

Mr. and Mrs. Sheppard, of San Francisco, have been spending the past week in our city.

Mr. Nash, who has been spending several days with friends in Ukiah, left on yesterday's noon train for his home in Lake county.

Feed for stage horses ran very low, the Ukiah-Mendocino route being practically out of hay for several days, except at Ukiah.

Miss Genevieve Mathews who has been attending school at the Ursuline College at Santa Rosa, came home Wednesday to spend the vacation.

Remember the Cosgrove Concert Company is billed for Wilson & York's opera house April 13th under the auspices of the local Aerie of Eagles.

Miss Alice Chalfant is spending this week in Ukiah visiting her mother and other relatives, there being a week's vacation at Stanford university, where the young lady is attending college.

Misses Elizabeth Gray, of Mendocino, and Kittie Cooney, of Greenwood, who have been attending school at San Jose, came up from that city last Friday evening and left for their homes on the coast next day.

The lecture on the "Japanese People," which was to have been delivered in the Presbyterian church this evening, has been postponed for one week until Friday evening, April 8th.

Wm. Eddie, one of Democracy's old war horses of Potter, came down to the county seat yesterday on business, and paid this office a visit and renewed for the best paper in the county.

Miss Irma Todd is quite sick this week with typhoid fever. Her condition was so critical for awhile that no one was allowed to see her, but the physician now thinks the fever is broken and that the patient will mend rapidly.

W. K. Dillingham returned this week from an extended visit to southern California. Mr. Dillingham was much impressed with the country and returns in splendid health. His many friends are glad to see him around again.

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Lyons and children arrived in Ukiah Sunday night from Newbern, Virginia. Mr. Lyons is a brother-in-law of Rev. J. E. Moore, of this city, Mrs. Lyons and Mrs. Moore being sisters. The family will probably locate in or near Ukiah. They will be welcomed by our people.

"Adams"
HELPS FROM THE FIRST DOSE.
IRISH MOSS
COUGH BALSAM
PRESCRIBED BY THE BEST PHYSICIANS FOR
Coughs, Colds, Hoarseness, Bronchitis, Croup in Children, and All Throat and Lung Troubles
Try a bottle to-day; don't wait till the doctor says "CONSUMPTION."
25c, 50c AT ALL DRUGGISTS
QUICK IN A DAY.

Ayer's

Your doctor will tell you that thin, pale, weak, nervous children become strong and well by taking Ayer's Sarsaparilla. Small doses, for a few days.

Sarsaparilla

The change is very prompt and very marked. Ask your doctor why it is. He has our formula and will explain.

"When 13 years old, for many months no one thought I could live because of thin blood. But, in a few weeks, Ayer's Sarsaparilla completely restored me to health."
MRS. E. BUCKMINSTER, Vineland, N. J.

$1.00 a bottle. All druggists. J. C. AYER CO., Lowell, Mass.

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The Children

Biliousness, constipation prevent recovery. Cure these with Ayer's Pills.

An Open Letter

DEAR SIRS AND BROTHERS:

The several labor unions in Mendocino County, desire in this manner to call your attention to the many misleading inducements which are being offered to workmen, in an attempt to flood the county with all classes of labor, hoping thereby to crush the labor movement, and also assist the employers in the lumber business to keep down the wages in this vicinity.

We wish to urge upon you the absolute necessity of keeping away from the Mendocino coast. We do not wish to deny you the opportunity of gaining a living, but wish to warn you of the prevailing conditions as they exist at the present time. The truth is as here stated and no laboring man will deny it, except a few of the followers of *Parryism*, (*a small number of whose disciples are working for the non-Union Lumber Company of Fort Bragg, Cal.*)

We have been struggling with this unfair concern for one year for recognition as union men, and we have the matter pretty well in hand, with the assistance of the laboring men absolutely refusing to be induced to come here. Wages are now hammered down to a bare existence level. The wage for common labor is $30 per month and the cost of living in the hotels in town average $4 per week. Your attention is called to the treatment of a millwright who was employed by the non-Union Lumber Company.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.

FORT BRAGG, Jan. 27, '04.

I, the undersigned, hereby state that on the 9th of January, 1904, I was employed to work as a millwright for the U. L. Co. by H. C. Johnson, the company's mill superintendent, who agreed to pay $3.00 or $3.50 per day. I worked 14½ days in January, when I quit. My time check was made out by the company's timekeeper for 14½ days at $3 50 per day. When I presented it at the pay window, Thos. Burns, timekeeper for the company came into the office and reduced my wages to $2.00 per day. My board at the cook house and the tools I was compelled to buy amounted to $26.30. The balance due me I donated to the company (amounting to $2.20). I have worked at millwrighting for a number of years, and it is the first time I have ever had an employer to go square back on his agreement. I wish the laboringmen who may read this, to know how individual workmen are treated by this company.

Signed, A. J. TADLOCK.

This is only one of the numerous robbing methods that the laboring men are compelled to submit to; as to hospital taxes, discount on pay checks and insurance taxes are in full swing.

If you can possibly live where you are do not jeopardise our cause by coming here. We appeal to you in the name of the world wide Brotherhood of Workingmen to stay away yourselves, and try and persuade others to do the same. If this is done it will be but a short time when the mill companies on the Mendocino coast will arrange for better conditions than those now in existence. In your hands rests the success or failure of our struggle for better conditions for ourselves and and our families. We are confident that when you read this appeal you will do all in your power to help us.

A. C. BLUNT, President.

T. L. AUSTIN, Secretary.

The Botkin murder case, which has been on trial in San Francisco for two weeks, came to a sudden stop Wednesday morning. It had come to the ears of the court that juror Goetjen had been offered $50 to hang the jury. A new jury will be selected and the trial [illegible]

COSGROVE'S Concert Orchestra

At Wilson & York's Opera House

Wednesday Evening Apr. 13

Under the Auspices of

Ukiah Aerie, No. 319, F. O. E.

Admission, 50c and 35c

Dance After Entertainment

The Dispatch's Great World's Fair Trip

Realizing the great educational advantage of a trip across the continent and a visit of several weeks at the St. Louis World's Fair, **The Dispatch** has decided to send **Four** of Mendocino County's young people to the World's Fair.

Six First-Class Pullman Tickets have been procured for the party. Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Sanford will accompany the young people and see that a profitable and enjoyable time is had.

The **Subscribers of the Dispatch** will have the pleasure of selecting the young people that are to go.

In order that different sections of the county may be represented, the county has been divided into the following four districts, one person to be sent from each district:

One from Ukiah City and valley.

One from Hopland, Yorkville, Boonville, Christine and the south coast from Elk to Gualala.

One from the north coast, Navarro to Bear Harbor.

One from valleys north of Ukiah—Calpella Potter, Willits, Laytonville, Round valley, etc.

We have endeavored to divide the county, into districts of about the same population, so that all may have a fair chance. Each district will thus compete within itself.

The Four Candidates receiving the **greatest number** of votes in their respective districts will be the fortunate ones to make the trip.

All money paid on subscription, whether from old or new subscribers, will entitle the person to votes at the rate of 5 cents per vote.

As an inducement for subscribers to pay up and renew for the year, we have formed a clubbing list with the ***Sunset Magazine***, the subscription price being $1.00 per year, but which can be had with "The Dispatch" for only 50 cents per year.

"The Dispatch," one year, $2.50
Sunset Magazine, " " 1.00

Both papers 1 year for $3.00, entitling candidate to 60 votes.

"The Dispatch," 6 months, $1.25
Sunset Magazine, " 1.00

"Dispatch" 6 months, Sunset 1 year, $1.75, entitling candidate to 35 votes.

Subscriptions to ***Sunset*** will also entitle the candidate to votes, but such subscriptions must be for a year and in conjunction with "The Dispatch."

Many enterprising young people have signified a willingness to become candidates, and are already interviewing their friends.

The trip will be made over the ***Southern Pacific*** line, and the successful candidates will pass thru 12 states. A number of Mendocino county people will probably go on the train and thus make the trip [illegible]. If sufficient people arrange to go a special car will be chartered for the Mendocinoites. The [illegible] to in due time.

The party will [illegible] down the line [illegible]

DEAD IN THE SHELL.

Common Sense Thoughts on Hatchable and Unhatchable Eggs.

Chicks dying is the only thing that prevents 100 per cent hatches. I can remember back to forty years ago, when hens made about the same average as they do now. I can remember a certain gatepost that I had for a mark when disposing of the eggs that the hens failed to hatch. Breaking the eggs to see what was in them was never thought of then and is not yet, but when it comes to running incubators it is a different thing.

I have seen people hatch 80 per cent and 90 per cent of the fertile eggs and worry over 10 or 20 per cent dying in the shell, yet the same people would perhaps innocently admit that the incubator did better average work on all the eggs than the hens.

There is just this about it: When 80 per cent of the fertile eggs hatch and 20 per cent do not hatch it is evidence in itself that something is wrong with the 20 per cent or they would have hatched also. Why not mix in a little cool reasoning in comparing incubators with hens and do away with the unjustified prejudices? Good incubators equal good hens, but neither can hatch unhatchable eggs. If all fertile eggs were hatchable, then we would simply waste time in selecting strong, vigorous cockerels and hens. There would be no use or sense in selecting fresh eggs; neither would freezing or overheating them before they were put in the machine affect them.

These are stubborn, serious facts, and not a single reader of this paper will dispute them, yet many will continue to throw the eggs that the hens can't hatch at the gatepost and make a postmortem examination of the eggs that are left in the incubator, and, still more, they may unconsciously select eggs for the hens and fill the incubator with most any kind to make up the numbers.—Commercial Poultry.

Typical Bronze Turkey Cock.

The above splendid specimen of Bronze turkey was second gobbler at Madison Square Garden poultry show, New York, last winter, exhibited by Mr. George W. Salsbury. Forty pound Bronze males are not rare at the leading shows. However, males that are so much above standard weight rarely possess such rounded form in all sections. The great fault in most large poultry is coarseness. The medium sized birds of the breed, as a rule, are nearer the ideal form. We present the above as one of the most symmetrical males shown above forty pounds. The size, general form, character and color points of this typical Bronze cock are worthy of imitation on the best turkey ranches and where show quality is sought.—F. Sewell in Reliable Poultry Journal.

OVER FORTY POUNDS.

Grit.

It is necessary for all chickens young and old, fowls, turkeys, ducks and geese to have plenty of grit. Always have plenty of it where they can help themselves. It is not a good plan to mix it in the mash food excepting for young ducks, and for them use quantities of coarse sand. But this is only made use of where they are growing broiler ducks and they stuff and feed them so hard to make them grow fast that it is necessary to mix this kind of grit with their feed to enable them to consume enough to grow to unusual size in a very short time. In dry chick food or in dry scratching food or with grain foods of all kinds no harm or injury will come of mixing some grit among it, for the chickens will pick out the grain from among the grit and only take what grit they need or wish to have. Grit is the only teeth the poultry have. They grind all their food with the grit and cannot exist for any length of time without it.

Nests For Laying Hens.

To make nests to prevent hens from eating eggs take three boards, two fourteen inches wide and one twelve inches wide. Nail these together for floor, putting the twelve inch one in the middle. Make two rows of nests, 14 by 14, on the outside boards. Make lids for these nests, putting hinges at the upper side of the nest. Cover the space between the rows of nests with boards upon which you fasten hinges. This makes a building similar to a double corncrib with driveway between. From this make a small hole just large enough for the hen to go through into the nest. [illegible] being rather dark in these nests, she will not stay longer than just to deposit her egg, for which purpose she [illegible] it is a nice, secluded place.

Guinea Meat.

[illegible] of guineas is generally dark [illegible] tender, juicy and in flavor [illegible] ringneck English pheasant [illegible] think it more palatable [illegible] not so pronounced and [illegible] more of it. The [illegible] guinea is light in [illegible] crossed with the [illegible] meat of the latter [illegible]

POULTRY FOR MARKET.

Some Suggestions on Killing, Dressing and Packing Chickens.

All fowls should be fasted from twenty-four to thirty-six hours before killing. Where this is not done the feed decomposes in the crop and intestines, the result being that the flesh becomes tainted and does not keep well.

There are two methods of killing that are considered proper. One is to kill by bleeding, which is accomplished by making a deep incision with a sharp knife in the roof of the mouth immediately below the eyes. This method is considered to be the better one in the eastern states and also in some parts of Canada. The other method is to kill the bird by wringing or pulling the neck. This is done by taking the chicken in the hand, stretching the neck, holding the crown of the head in the palm of the hand and givign a quick turn backward and at the same time a steady pull. This method is favored by the exporters of dressed fowls and is much cleaner than bleeding the fowls. It is claimed by the exporters that the flesh will keep longer and will not be so dry as where the birds are bled. I prefer the latter method.

After the bird is killed plucking should begin at once. Care should be taken to keep the head downward, to allow the blood to collect in the neck. Where the birds are allowed to become cool before being plucked it is hard to avoid tearing the skin, and the plucking is more tedious. The birds should be plucked clean, with the exception of about two inches of feathers adjoining the head.

Many good chickens are spoiled by being packed before they are thoroughly cooled. Care should be taken that all the animal heat is out of the body before the fowls are packed. We always cool the birds at least twelve hours before packing them.

The chickens are packed in boxes. The box is lined with parchment paper, and if the chickens are to be shipped a long distance each bird is wrapped in paper. This prevents the chickens from bruising each other and at the same time, to a considerable extent, checks decomposition. Do not use ordinary wrapping paper, as it draws dampness and will cause the chickens to become clammy, which makes them more or less unsalable.

There are several kinds of boxes used in shipping poultry. Nearly every exporter has his own shape of box and his own method of packing. For shipping locally we use a box three feet long, twelve inches wide and twelve inches deep. The box will hold thirty-six four and one-half pound chickens. The boxes are made strong, so that we can have the dealer return them to be refilled. Do not use cedar in the construction of the boxes, as in some cases it taints the flesh. Basswood or spruce answers well.—W. R. Graham in Chicago Tribune.

Doctoring Poultry.

The average poultryman should be very careful of the medicine with which he doses his flock, as sometimes the medicine is as bad as the disease, sensibly advises Brice Haynes in Poultry Success. The cheapest and best medicine we have been able to get is ordinary plastering lime. It sells for $1 a barrel in our town, and a little goes a long way and does lots of good while it is going. I have not had any cholera on my place for six years, and I attribute the general good health of my fowls to the liberal use of lime. Some of the good uses I have found for it are as follows:

When I see signs of soiled feathers I throw a little lime in their drinking water. It seems to be a good regulator.

It is a good disinfectant and after cleaning the dropping board throw a handful down. It is wonderful how lime will kill all bad odors.

Use lime mixed in the dust box. The lice won't loaf around there much. I notice they won't take many steps in the lime until their relations send for the undertaker.

When one of your hens gets ready to take the regulation three weeks' layoff throw some lime in each corner of her nest. Some lime thrown down around outbuildings will dry up the wet places.

When your hens are laying soft shell eggs throw lime where they can get it. I have seen limewater stop a threatened case of cholera in good shape.

Camphor For Bowel Trouble.

Camphor in the water will correct bowel trouble in young chicks. It is also good for colds or troubles of like nature in fowls or chicks. When needed, take some gum camphor and small stones and tie them in a cloth and drop them in the water vessel from which the fowls or chicks drink. The stones will make it sink, the cloth will keep it clean, and the water will dissolve enough of the camphor for the needed benefit. Never use it except when needed.—Country Gentleman.

High Roosts and Bumble Foot.

High roosts cause bumble foot. While it is natural for all hens to roost high, it is only when the grass covered ground is at hand that the bird is safe from danger of injury to the feet. In most cases six inches above the dropping board is right. If the dropping board has a raised edge a bird can step from one to the other and then easily to the floor. The board itself should be high enough to allow an egg box underneath.

Shut Out the Males.

There is nothing on earth more useless than a male bird in a flock out of the breeding season. Eggs from hens that are not mated with males keep longer in good condition than those from mated hens, and hens without mates lay more eggs than mated ones. Shut the males up by themselves.

A NOVEL HOUSE.

Double Scratching Rooms With Light on All Four Sides.

The house which is here illustrated may be erected without regard for a southern exposure--in fact, it will do well in the middle of a poultry lot, and the lot may be divided into four sections by wire fences, thus allowing two sorts [illegible] to some green food, [illegible] two divisions are being [illegible] the fowls.

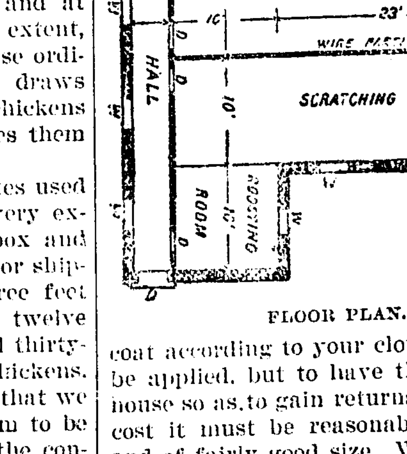
The [illegible] built about ten or two [illegible] the level of the ground [illegible] drainage away from [illegible]

THE DOUBLE HOUSE.

[illegible] The floor of the house must be filled in with fresh, dry sand every fall and this covered deep with litter for the hens to work and scratch among for food. This style of a house provides plenty of floor space and a comfortable room to roost in at night.

During the winter months for laying only each house will do for a hundred hens, fifty on each side, and they will do well, says the Feather. You should have doors to go into scratching room, roosting room and hallway at each end. You can make the floor space of the house to meet the amount of cash you wish to spend or to fit the land space on which you would place it. The house can be made large or small, as you select.

This is not a cheap house to build nor need it be an expensive one. "Cut your



FLOOR PLAN.

coat according to your cloth" may here be applied, but to have this style of a house so as to gain returns equal to the cost it must be reasonably well built and of fairly good size. We should not advise any one to go to the expense of such a house unless he feels fully able to stand the expense of same.

Poultry Fences.

During the last year we have completed permanent fences around our main poultry building and from our experience offer a few suggestions. Some permanent form of fencing is desirable and necessary about all poultry buildings and essential where pure bred stock is kept and pens are kept separate during the breeding season. Poultry netting, well galvanized and seventy-two inches wide, is the only satisfactory fencing material, and in order to stretch it properly a scantling should be mortised on edge in the top of the posts for a top rail.

Posts are best set eight feet apart, using 2 by 4's sixteen feet long for tops. In order to make the fence as lasting as possible we charred the butts of the posts and filled in the holes with rock and cinders; also put about six inches of rock under each post. The posts should be sawed off five feet and a half from the ground and the netting buried six inches. This prevents fowls scratching and getting under the fence and also does away with a bottom rail or baseboard. In putting on the netting one end should be made fast with a double row of staples and the other end clamped between the 2 by 4's with bolts and, with a small wire stretcher attached to the middle, stretched up tight.

The top wire should be stapled on securely, and then by pressing down the bottom wire at each post and stapling to the post the netting is deeply and tightly secured. In making gates time and labor can be saved by stretching the wire on the fence and then setting the frame for the gate against the netting, when it can be stapled to the gate without further stretching.—Montana Experiment Station.

An Omelet Every Day.

Mr. G. W. Zook essayed to sell off all his poultry stock and thought he had done so, but afterward one pullet that had escaped the poultryman's ax turned up. One day Mr. Zook found two eggs, one white and one brown, in the solitary nest in the barn, and every day thereafter for ten days he did the same. He had seen but one chicken about the place, and it suddenly dawned upon him that this pullet was doing double duty in showing the superiority of the Missouri hen. So he set about watching her. For three days he noted her visits to the nest and found one white and one brown egg. He knew there were no eggs in the nest before the hen's visit and therefore concluded to a certainty that for two weeks the hen had laid two eggs a day.—Maitland (Mo.) Herald.

People Are Learning.

An egg is worth as much for food purposes as four ounces of mutton chop. In Chicago the mutton chop would cost 4 cents and the egg a little over 2 cents at present prices. People are learning this, and that accounts for the increasing demand for eggs.

Notice of Sale

OFFICE OF THE TAX COLLECTOR OF THE COUNTY OF MENDOCINO, STATE OF CALIFORNIA.

Notice of sale of property of the State pursuant to Section 3897 of the Political Code.

Whereas, on the 3rd day of March, 1904, there was received by me and filed in my office a written authorization under the hand and seal of the Controller of the State of California, which said authorization was and is in words and figures following:

NOTICE.

CONTROLLER'S DEPARTMENT, STATE OF CALIFORNIA.

To the Tax Collector of the County of Mendocino, State of California.

Whereas, on various dates there were filed and recorded in the Controller's Office of the State of California, certain deeds conveying to the People of the State of California the title to those certain lots and parcels of land hereinafter described;

And, Whereas, said deeds recite the fact that said property hereinafter described was struck off and sold to the People of the State of California for the nonpayment of State and County taxes, penalties, and costs, and all charges levied and assessed against said property for the years 1892 and 1894;

And, Whereas, five years have elapsed since the date of said sale, and no redemption, according to law, has been made of said property, or any part thereof;

Now, Therefore, in pursuance of the law in such cases made and provided, I, E. P. Colgan, Controller of the State of California, by virtue of the authority in me vested by the laws of this state, do by these presents authorize, empower, and direct you, the said Tax Collector, to sell at public auction, in separate lots or parcels, the property hereinafter described, in the manner following: Public notice shall first be given of such sale by publication for at least three weeks in some newspaper published in the county, or city and county, or if there be no newspaper published therein, then by posting a notice in three conspicuous places in the county, or city and county, for the same period, which notices must state specifically the place of, and the day and hour of sale, and shall contain a description of the property to be sold, and shall also embody a copy of this authorization.

The property above referred to and hereby authorized to be sold, is situate, lying, and being in the County of Mendocino, State of California, bounded and particularly described as follows, to-wit:

EXHIBIT "A."

SE¼ of SW¼, Sec. 35, T. 5 S., R. 7 E., H. M. Sold to the State June 30, 1893.

EXHIBIT "B"

Also W½ of NW¼ Sec. 26; E½ of NE¼ Sec. 27, T. 5 S, R. 7 E., H. M., 160 acres. Sold to the State June 28, 1895.

EXHIBIT "C."

Also SE¼ of SW¼, W½ of SW¼ Sec. 26; NE¼ of SE¼ Sec. 27, T. 5 S., R. 7 E., H. M., 160 acres. Sold to the State June 28 1895.

NW¼ of SW¼ Sec. 29, T. 23 N., R. 17 W., M. D. M. Sold to the State July 3, 1896.

That no bid shall be received or accepted at such sale for less than the amount of all the taxes levied upon such property, and all interests, costs, penalties, and expenses up to the date of the sale hereby authorized, together with all such subsequent taxes as may have been levied upon such property, up to the date of the issuance to the State of the deed or deeds hereinabove referred to, with all interests, costs, penalties, and other charges thereon added to such subsequent taxes.

That said sale shall be conducted in all respects as by law governing such sales.

[SEAL] Given under my hand and seal of office, at Sacramento, this 29th day of February, A. D. 1904.

E. P. COLGAN, Controller.

Now, therefore, in pursuance of law and the statute aforesaid, public notice is hereby given that I will on Saturday, the 16th day of April 1904, at the hour of ten o'clock A. M., in front of the Court House Door at the main entrance to the Court House in the Town of Ukiah City, County of Mendocino, State of California, sell at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash, in lawful money of the United States, the said property hereinbefore in said authorization described, which authorization is hereby made a part of this notice, to-wit:

Situate, lying, and being in the County of Mendocino, State of California, and particularly described in said deed to the State above referred to as follows, to-wit:

EXHIBIT "A."

SE¼ of SW¼ Sec. 35, T. 5 S., R. 7 E., H. M.

Tax of 1892	$ 1 60
15 per cent, 5 per cent and 5 per cent penalties	26
Costs	50
Special School Tax	65
Interest	1 12
Costs of advertising	12 90
Total	$ 16 93

EXHIBIT "B."

Also W½ of NW¼ Sec. 26; E½ of NE¼ Sec. 27 T. 5 S., R. 7 E., H. M., 160 acres.

Tax of 1894	$ 5 76
5 per cent, 5 per cent and 5 per cent penalties	74
Costs	50
Interest	8 5[illegible]
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Costs	50
Interest	5 85
Tax of 1897	5 57
15 per cent, 5 per cent and 5 per cent penalties	67
Costs	50
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Tax of 1898	5 76
15 per cent, 5 per cent and 5 per cent penalties	71
Costs	50
Interest	2 15
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15 per cent, 5 per cent and 5 per cent penalties	86
Costs	50
Interest	2 12
Tax of 1900	8 00
15 per cent, 5 per cent and 5 per cent penalties	1 00
Costs	50
Interest	1 85
Costs of advertising	14 80
Total	$ 88 18

EXHIBIT "C."

Also SE¼ of SW¼, W½ of SW¼ Sec. 26; NE¼ of SE¼ Sec. 27, T. 5 S., R. 7 E., H. M., 160 acres.

Tax of 1894	$ 5 76
15 per cent, 5 per cent and 5 per cent penalties	74
Costs	50
Interest	3 52
Tax of 1895	10 05
15 per cent, 5 per cent and 5 per cent penalties	1 25
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Costs	5 85
Interest	14 40
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15 per cent, 5 per cent and 5 per cent	1 80
penalties	50
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15 per cent, 5 per cent and 5 per cent	67
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15 per cent, 5 per cent and 5 per cent	86
penalties	50
Costs	2 12
Interest	6 40
Tax of 1900	
15 per cent, 5 per cent and 5 per cent	80
penalties	50
Costs	1 50
Interest	11 80
Cost of advertising	
Total	$ 105 08

Given under my hand at the Town of Ukiah City, County of Mendocino, State of California, this 3rd day of March, 1904.

Sheriff's Sale

Notice of Foreclosure Sale

ARTHUR H. FLEMING, Plaintiff, vs. MAURICE DONOHOE, Defendant.

Order of Sale and Decree of Foreclosure and Sale.

Under and by virtue of an order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale issued out of the Superior Court of the County of Mendocino, State of California on the 28th day of March, A. D. 1904, in the above entitled action, wherein Arthur H. Fleming, the above named plaintiff, obtained a judgment and decree of foreclosure and sale against Maurice Donohoe, defendant, on the 28th day of March, A. D. 1904, for the sum of Eight Hundred and Seventy Three and 25-100 Dollars, in United States Gold Coin, besides interest, cost and counsel fees amounting in all to the sum of Nine Hundred and Ninety Four and 74 100 Dollars, which said decree was, on the 28th day of March, A. D. 1904, recorded in Judgment Book 7 of said Court, at page —, I am commanded to sell all that certain lot, piece or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the County of Mendocino, State of California, and bounded and described as follows to-wit:

The N½ of SW¼ of Section 2 in Township 17 North of Range 16 West, Mount Diablo Base and Meridian, containing 80 acres more or less. Also the SW¼ of the SE¼ of the NW¼ of the same Section (Sec. 2, T. 17 N., R. 16 W.) that is to say 10 acres in a square form in the SW corner of the subdivision above described as the SE¼ of the NW¼; Also the S½ of the SW¼ of the NW¼ of the same Section (Sec. 2, T. 17 N., R. 16 W.) that is to say 20 acres, being the Northern half of the subdivision known as the SW¼ of the NW¼. The lands herein described being the same conveyed by Josiah B. Goodrich to Maurice Donohoe by Deed dated February 7th, 1894, and comprising in all 110 acres, or thereabouts.

Public notice is hereby given that on

Saturday the 30th Day of April, A. D. 1904,

at 2 o'clock P. M. of that day, in front of the Court House door of the County of Mendocino, I will in obedience to said order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale, sell the above described property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy said judgment, with interest and costs, etc., to the highest and best bidder, for gold coin of the United States.

Dated: Ukiah, Cal., March 28th, 1904.

J. H. SMITH, Sheriff.

By D. M. GIBSON, Under Sheriff.

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Are due on demand from all persons subject to the same. Between the first Monday in March and the first Monday in July the amount is as follows:

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M. A. THOMAS,
Assessor of Mendocino County.

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Sheriff's Sale

Notice of Foreclosure Sale.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT, COUNTY OF Mendocino, State of California.

C. B. HOPKINS, vs. EMILY M. KIRKWOOD.

Order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale.

Under and by virtue of an order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale issued out of the Superior Court of the County of Mendocino State of California, on the 1st day of March A. D. 1904, in the above entitled action, wherein C. B. Hopkins, the above named plaintiff, obtained a judgment and decree of foreclosure and sale against Emily M. Kirkwood, defendant on the 1st day of March, A. D. 1904, for the sum of One Hundred and Eighty-six and 2-100 Dollars, in United States Gold Coin, besides interest, which said decree was, on the 5th day of March, A. D. 1904, recorded in Judgment Book 7 of said Court, at page—, I am commanded to sell all that certain lot, piece or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the County of Mendocino, State of California, and bounded and described as follows towit:

The W½ of the NE¼ and the N½ of the SE¼ of Section 23, Twp 15 N, R 12 West, M. D. M.

Public notice is hereby given that, on

Saturday, the 9th day of April, A. D. 1904,

at 2 o'clock P. M. of that day, in front of the Court House door of the County of Mendocino, I will in obedience to said order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale, sell the above described property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy said judgment, with interest and costs, etc., to the highest and best bidder, for gold coin of the United States.

Dated Ukiah, March 7th, 1904.

J. H. SMITH, Sheriff.

By D. M. Gibson, Under Sheriff. m11-a8

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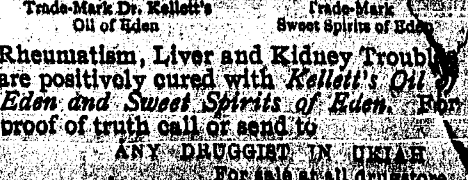

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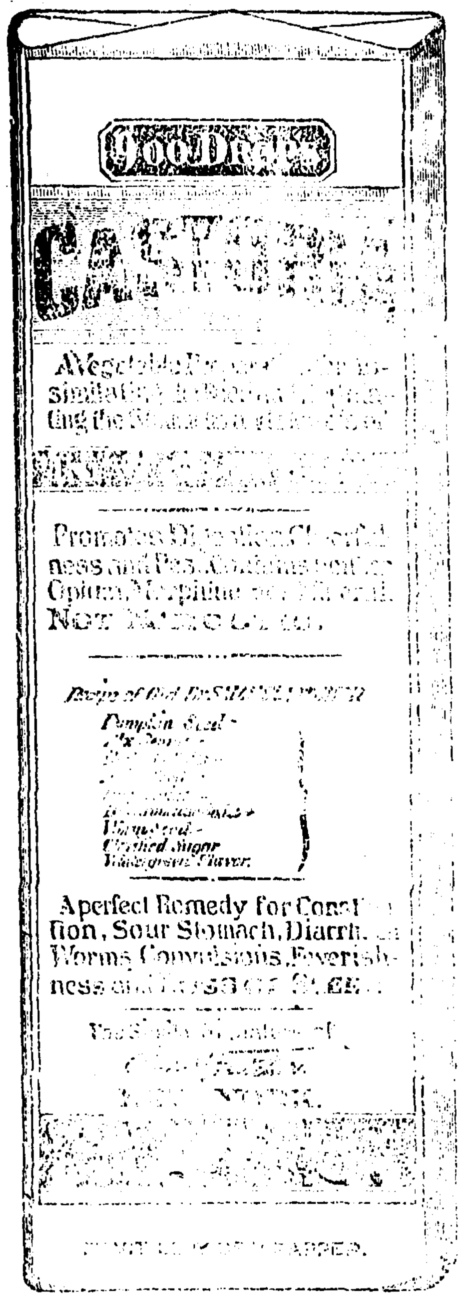

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EFFECT OF A FIRE.

The Way Two Women Were Changed From Enemies to Friends.

"It is curious how a fire will make people forget the conventionalities," said an M street woman. "For two years I've lived where I live now, and I've never made the acquaintance of my next door neighbor. Indeed, what with the birds she keeps and my pet cat, we've gone beyond being mere strangers and have become almost open enemies.

"The night of the fire at the church near us I flew to the window at the first sound of the engines. I couldn't persuade my husband to put on his coat and go with me. So as fires have a perfectly irresistible fascination for me I dashed out alone. Almost the first person I saw was an intoxicated negro, and I simply reached out and took hold of a strange woman's arm. She was alone in the crowd, as I was, and we clung together for support for a half hour or so. We talked as if we'd known each other always, and it wasn't until I was going home that I really looked at the woman's face. It was my next door neighbor, and we both laughed when each recognized the other.

"We went off home like old cronies and had a cup of hot coffee together before we parted. I like her immensely, and I hope she likes me. We've been marketing together twice and once to the matinee. We're going to be chums, and if there hadn't been a fire in the neighborhood I suppose we'd have gone on forever detesting each other."—Washington Post.

ABILITY TO DRINK MILK.

It Is a Test of Perfect Digestion In Nearly All Cases.

Milk is known to be one of the few complete foods. It contains the bone, muscle and fat producing elements and sustains the heat of the body. The milk of different classes of animals (mammals) varies in composition to suit the different requirements, thus mare's milk is richer in sugar, but lacking in protein compared with cow's milk.

Another fact of interest connected with milk is found in the difficulty with which some persons digest plain milk. It is safe to say that should any organ, secretion or digestive juice fail to perform its free duty the milk consumed will not be properly digested. The reason for this is simple. Milk contains such a variety of compounds that all portions of the digestive system are called into activity for the digestion of these varied elements. The gastric juice attacks the cheesy matter; the pancreatic and intestinal juices digest the sugars and fats. This takes the milk through the stomach, the small intestines into the large intestine. The lower intestine digests wood fiber also. This alone of all the forms of food nutrients is not found in milk. Because of the facts above stated the ability to drink milk is a test of perfect digestion in nearly all cases.

An Eccentric Bishop.

Bishop Wilson of Calcutta had as housekeeper a venerable lady who remembered the duel between Sir Philip Francis and Warren Hastings on Aug. 17, 1780. On entering the cathedral on a Sunday morning, fully robed, lawn sleeves and all, and passing the pew where the old lady sat, he would pause and give her the "kiss of peace" before all the congregation, and this although he had met her at breakfast.

His sermons, too, were racy. Preaching against dishonesty, especially in [illegible], as one of the great English failings in India, he went on, "Nor are [illegible] of the altar, [illegible] to the occupant of the reading desk below him: "There is my dear and venerable brother, the archdeacon, down there. He is an instance of it. He once sold me a horse. It was unsound. I was a stranger, and he took me in.'"

How Eels Spawn.

Eels spawn like other fishes. For long, however, the most remarkable theories were held as to their birth. One of the old beliefs was that they sprang from mud. A rival theory held that young eels developed from fragments separated from their parents' bodies by the rubbing against rocks.

One old author not only declared that they came from May dew, but gave the following recipe for producing them: "Cut up two turfs covered with May dew and lay them one upon the other, the grassy sides inward, and then expose them to the heat of the sun. In a few hours there will spring from them an infinite quantity of eels."

Two Differently Translated Brethren

The development of names under the influence of foreign environment is shown in the experience of a lawyer who was endeavoring to locate the heirs of a German family named Kline, who had been over here scarcely more than a generation. Two brothers were supposed to be the sole descendants, and he finally found one in San Francisco under the name of Little and the other in Boston known as Mr. Small.—Boston Record.

The Watchful One.

"Now, Thomas," said a certain bishop after taking his servant to task one morning, "who is it that sees all we do and hears all we say and knows all we think and who regards even me in my bishop's robes as but a vile worm of the dust?"

And Thomas replied, "The missus, sir."—London Globe.

One secret act of self denial, one sacrifice of inclination to duty, is worth all the mere good thoughts, warm feelings, passionate prayers, in which some people indulge themselves.—Detroit News-Tribune.

Crude, Garish Athens.

An American traveler writes: "Athens itself, as a city, is insufferable. It is raw, garish, new, staring, crude. It smells of paint. It reeks of varnish. It is redolent of last week. It is the newest city one sees in southern Europe. It is dusty, it is noisy, it is vulgar. Everything in it is imitation. The palaces are imitation. The hotels are imitation. The army is imitation. The city is a sham. It is a joy to leave the commonplace streets, to quit the insufferable city and to climb the Acropolis. There everything is calm and peaceful, and the magnificent ruins are restful. There only in Athens do you find a spot which is not oppressively new and raw. The royal palace is one of the newest and the rawest of all the raw, new buildings."

France Sets the Pace.

"Wife beating is unknown among the French, excitable though they are," says a writer on British manners in the National Review, "and, as every one knows at home, that pastime is commonly indulged in by our lower classes at the expense of a 2s. 6d. fine. In England many little things testify to the accepted 'superiority' of the male sex. A woman bows first, as to her lord and master; in France a man salutes his idol whether noticed or unnoticed and stands with his head uncovered if she stops to speak to him, while the younger men never omit to kiss a lady's hand, to shake which would seem an impertinence."

Women Sold by Auction.

An auction of unmarried ladies used to take place annually in Babylon. In every district they assembled on a certain day of every year all the virgins of marriageable age. The most remarkable was first put up, and the man who bid the largest sum of money gained possession of her. The second in personal appearance followed, and the bidders gratified themselves with handsome wives according to the depth of their purses. But, alas, it seems that there were in Babylon some ladies for whom no money was likely to be offered, yet these also were disposed of, so provident were the Babylonians. When all the beautiful virgins were sold, the crier ordered the most deformed to stand up, and after he had openly demanded who would marry her with a small sum she was at length adjudged to the man who would be satisfied with the least, and in this manner the money arising from the sale of the handsome served as a portion to those who were either of disagreeable looks or that had any other imperfection. This custom prevailed about 500 years before Christ.—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

Spencer and Beecher.

Herbert Spencer visited America in 1882 and on that occasion a banquet was given in New York in his honor. Henry Ward Beecher was one of the after dinner speakers.

"I am asked," said Mr. Beecher, "how I reconcile Spencer with theology. I don't.

"A man who has a baldheaded deacon watching everything he does or a gold spectacled lawyer—not a fat one" (looking at Mr. Bristow), "but a long, lean, lank one" (looking at Mr. Evarts)—"can't afford to talk Spencerism from the pulpit.

"It is to be borne in mind that when a man is driving a team of fractious horses that are just all he can manage anyhow he is not in a state of mind to discuss questions with his wife by his side, who is undertaking to bring up delicate domestic matters."

It had been said that Mr. Spencer had no sense of humor, but he joined heartily in the merriment which Mr. Beecher's speech provoked.

Pitt's Fondness For Port.

The ruin of Pitt's health was attributed to his physicians, who made him take port in large quantities in his youth, so that he could not do without it later. Lord Grenville has seen him swallow a bottle of port in tumblerfuls before going to the house. His hands shook so much that when he helped himself to salt he was obliged to support the right hand with the left. Stothard, the painter, happened to be one evening at an inn on the Kept road when Pitt and Dundas put up there on their way to Walmer. Next morning the waiter said to Stothard: "How much wine do you suppose they drank last night? Seven bottles, sir!"—Rogers' "Table Talk."

The Way They Do In Iceland.

Icelanders never think of "locking up" at night, and yet only two cases of thieving have occurred in many years. One was a poor man with a broken arm, who stole several sheep to save his family from starving. The punishment meted out to him was that food was provided for his family, he was placed under medical care and work was given him when his arm had healed. The other case was of a foreigner who stole seventeen sheep. The law demanded that he restore the value of the thefts and then leave the country or be executed. Naturally he left.

Playing a Trick on McCullough.

Will McConnell and John McCullough were playing "Virginius," and McConnell was doing Icilius. When he had to go up to John and shake hands with him he put a hard boiled egg into his palm and left it there, and McCullough, being in the center of the stage and alone, could not get rid of it. He discharged Will, as usual, that night, but he never stayed discharged, and he was taken on again when they found him on board the train on the way to the next stand.

How She Felt.

"I hope," said Mrs. Oldcastle, "that you didn't feel that you were de trop when you called the other day and found Mrs. Beezum present."

"Oh, no," replied her hostess. "That was just the back of my waist that I kept feeling. One of the hooks was loose, and somehow I couldn't help bein' kind of nervous about it."—Chicago Record-Herald.

An Irish Gem.

An Irish journal had this gem in answer to a correspondent: "We decline to acknowledge the receipt of your post card."

Which is very much like the Corkonian who traveled into Kerry to an insulting enemy to "tell him to his face that he would treat him with silent contempt."—London Tit-Bits.

Only Two Occasions.

"You always appear to be nervous," remarked the friend solicitously.

"But really," replied the housekeeper, "there are only two occasions when I am nervous. One is when I have a servant girl, and the other is when I haven't."—Philadelphia Press.

Carefully Brought Up.

"Were you carefully brought up, my lad?" asked the merchant of the applicant for a situation.

"Please, sir, yes, sir; I came up in the elevator, sir," said the respectful youth.

Making Sure.

Gritty George—I hope dat bowl of coffee won't stimulate yer to go to work. Sandy Pikes—No, pard; I asked de lady to put no sugar in it.—Philadelphia Bulletin.

Pedicuring an Elephant.

The tools for trimming elephants' feet are a carpenter's drawknife and a rasp for the soles and a horseshoer's knife and sandpaper for the toe nails. The operator places a beer keg or a strong box behind one huge hind foot, lightly prods the thick ankle with his elephant hook and commands the beast to "Hold up!" Up comes the mighty foot, slowly and heavily, but obediently as the velvety paw of a kitten. The foot is rested on the box or the keg, where it remains while the expert works on it much as a horseshoer pares the hoof of a horse. Great slivers of the horny sole are sliced off until it is cut nearly to proper thickness, when the rasp is used to smooth off. Similarly the toe nails are treated with the knife and the sandpaper, while the big patient stands with swinging trunk and an occasional wag of an ear, too full of satisfaction for utterance. When the turn of the forefoot comes, the great beast is made to lie down on its side and the hoofs are propped up and treated.—McClure's.

A Bird That Is Feared.

The elster (Pica caudata) is a bird that is respected and feared throughout south Germany. It belongs to the raven tribe and is about the size of a dove, with black and white feathers and long, pointed tail. It builds its nest in orchards, and its life is sacred. If it is seen three times in succession on the same house top in a place remote from its home it is believed to be a sure sign of death in that house. If it flies and gives its peculiar cry the sick person is sure to die, but if it does not scream the patient may recover. It is better for the sick person if the bird does not come near. No one could be hired to bother these birds for fear they might seek revenge, and if by chance one of them should die it is a sign of bad luck to the owner of the property where it is found. The bird is a valuable insect destroyer and in this way probably more than compensates for the fear it occasions among the farmers.

Animals Become Insane.

Insanity in the human subject is supposed by some to have no analogue in the lower animals. Yet many cases, according to Dr. Sneilson, will lead to the permanent loss of self control. Cattle driven from the country through a crowded town will often work themselves into a frenzy. Horses have gone mad on the battlefield. At Balaklava an Arabian horse turned on its attendant, threw him down and, kneeling on him, attacked him like an infuriated dog. An instance is related of a docile horse suddenly going mad on a hot day. Everything that came in its way it seized in its teeth and shook as a terrier does a rat. A scientist of authority even goes so far as to prove by what appears to be incontestable evidence that cats, dogs and monkeys have been observed to have delusions very similar to those of insane people.—London Globe.

Dividing the Sexes.

While worshiping in a little chapel-of-ease a few miles from Ruthin, on the Wrexham road, the sexes are so strictly divided that they cannot even see one another. The building forms a right angle, in one arm of which the men sit and the women in the other. It was built and endowed by a misogynist of the Stuart period who objected to having his devotions distracted by the sight of the hated sex and, sympathizing with male posterity, stipulated expressly for this division in his deed of endowment.—London Standard.

The Cuban Workman.

The Cuban workman is a kind husband and a fond father of a family usually of patriarchal size. He lives simply. At the bedega he buys his tasajo (jerked beef), rice, vegetables and cheap wine, and very savory are the stews his meek little wife prepares at the one hearty meal of the day, about 5:30 p. m. The Cuban eats but twice daily. He is underfed and overstimulated. He has coffee at 7 a. m., a light breakfast at 11 a. m and eats his chief meal at twilight.—Southern Workman.

Rapid Typewriting.

An official stenographer, Deming, at Albany, years ago reported court proceedings on a typewriter at the rate of 150 and 170 words a minute. He eliminated the vowels, using consonants only, with a dot to separate words. His typewriter was incased in glass to deaden the noise. The paper was run into the machine from a roll. Lawyers could read the notes.

Happiness.

"I am sometimes accused," writes Sir John Lubbock, "of being too optimistic. But I have never ignored nor denied the troubles and sorrows of life. I have never said that men are happy, but only that they might be; that if they are not so the fault is generally their own; that most of us throw away more happiness than we enjoy."

Too Deserving.

A young village maiden had obtained the modesty prize. "I suppose then, my child," said a Parisian lady addressing her, "you are the most modest girl in the parish?"

"There is not the slightest doubt about that, ma'am, and it's a downright shame I didn't get all the other prizes!"—Paris Journal.

A Hard Proposition.

One of the hardest things for a man to do when he has come home late from the club and tried to go to bed without taking off his collar is to explain to his wife he heard it was a good cure for sore throat.—New York Press.

The man that makes character makes foes.—Young.

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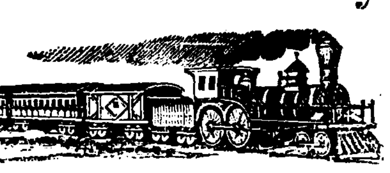

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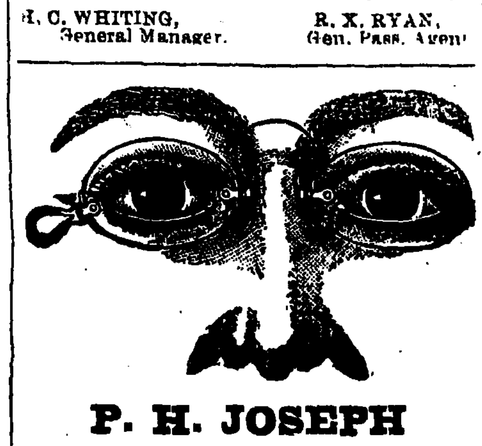

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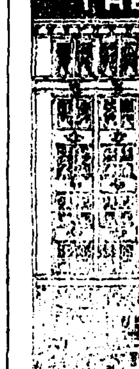
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No Pre-Historic Man

It is fashionable nowadays to say a great deal about pre-historic man. Investigators in the field of paleoethnology are telling us that man existed on the earth hundreds of thousands of years ago and all those who antedated a period six or seven thousand years in the past are pre-historical. And we are told many and curious things concerning the modes of life, habits and customs of the pre-historic races. Now the fact is that no evidence has been discovered showing that any race of men ever existed on earth that do not exist now. Every type which research has discovered by means of geological delving and archaeological exhumation, can be found alive on earth today. The mutations of time have wrought changes; races and tribes have sprung up, flourished and perished, but all the types have been perpetuated and are now living. We still have the cave-dwellers, the cliff-dwellers, the lake dwellers, the dwellers in cities, the forest-denizens, the savage and the civilized, the naked and the clad, the stone age and the metal age. The excavation of buried ancient cities, for centuries thot to be mythical and the opening up of mysterious teocallis built by long forgotten hands, disclose nothing that does not exist among living men today, differing only in some unimportant detail of form. The study of relics of remote antiquity is commendable, as enriching and adding to the sum of human knowledge, but, with it all, no proof has been elicited or established that any race of men differing in any important respect from those now living, ever existed. In point of fact it is now reasonably safe to say, in the light of the discoveries made, that the term pre-historical man, as generally used is a misnomer. There are tribes that have no history, but tradition. There are buried cities whose builders are not now known, but they probably had written history of their own which is also lost, and finally there is no conclusive proof that man has been upon the earth anywhere near as long as has been claimed in some quarters. That subject has been re-investigated with the result that men of high reputation now agree that mankind has only been upon the earth for from 7000 to 10,000 years. And we have history covering about that period.

A Moslem Legend

In passing one day by a very ancient and extremely populous city, I asked one of the inhabitants, "Who founded this city?" He replied to me, "I do not know; and our ancestoes knew no more than we." Five hundred years afterward, passing by the same place, I could not perceive a trace of that city. I inquired of a peasant when was the city destroyed. He answered, "How odd is your question! This country has never been otherwise than as you see it now."

After another five hundred years I passed again by that place. The country was no loger visible; over it stretched an open sea. I asked of the fisherman how long since their country became a sea. They replied that a person like me should know that the sea had always been where now I saw it.

I came again that way after another five hundred years. The sea had vanished, and there was only dry land. No one knew what had become of the sea, or indeed that ever it had been there.

Finally, after another five hundred years, I returned again. There was a mighty city, and its people told me that its origin was lost in the night of time.—Mohammed Kaswini.

This Picture and That

The other day, in one of our large cities, a twentieth century Jean Valjean was arrested on a charge of stealing bread. It transpired that the man was starving and the policeman who made the arrest told the judge that there were nearly two hundred more in the same part of the city who were starving. The grocer from whom the bread was stolen refused to prosecute saying, "Lord knows, they need it." Whereupon the humane judge discharged the accused, saying, "the stealing of bread under such circumstances is no offense."

The other day, in the same large city a trust magnate, one of the octopi whose tentacles reach across the continent in every direction drawing sustenance from the poor, gave a banquet to a group of his millionaire friends who did not need it, which cost enough to have fed that two hundred starving men a month. And that's the two extremes that exist side by side in this glorious land of liberty and equality. We are prone to ask, under these circumstances: "Is our civilization a success?"

We Are The Unterrified

Every few days or weeks we read in some opposition paper that the "Democratic party is getting alarmed," lest so and so should happen or such and such a candidate should be nominated. Bosh! The Democratic party is not of the alarmable kind so far as its own organization is concerned. We sometimes "view with alarm", the proposed or consummated acts of our friends the enemy. We sometimes differ one from another within our own ranks, as to men or as to measures not fundamental. We sometimes make some noise in our family fracases; but knowing that in fundamental principles the Democracy is solidly right, we do not get scared. Nationally we have suffered defeat most of the time for nearly half a century, but at each recurring election you find us coming up smiling and unafraid. Our optimism is justified by our knowledge of the eternal righteousness of our cause and our unswerving faith in the fact that tho iniquity may for a time, and even for a long time abound, justice and truth will finally triumph, and so, we fight with confidence and are not "alarmed."

We call attention to the announcement in this issue of the name of John Flanagan as a candidate for supervisor of the Fourth District. Mr. Flanagan is one of the tried and true. His long years of faithful service as supervisor of that district constitutes all the recomendation necessary. When in office he did his duty fearlessly and conscientiously. He stood for honesty in county expenditures and he used the public funds of his road district to the best possible advantage. He will now have been out of office for four years, and the people of his district have asked him to run again. No [illegible] or safer man could be nominated.

[illegible] San Francisco paper offers two prizes for the best two definitions of [illegible] There is but one definition, and that is—Love. It's like the old [illegible] said that Adam was fooling away his time when he named [illegible] "Anybody," said she, "would know that animal was a hog."

[illegible] down the flag!" But Russia hauled it down for us at [illegible] and that in a treaty port. And the dispatches [illegible] by our State Department [illegible]

The other day A. J. Waterhouse, the California poet, in a fit of gloom brot on by the long continued rain, wrote in the San Francisco Bulletin that the weather had entered his soul, and he was therefore abnormally "blue." This calls to mind what another poet, James Whitcomb Riley, blithesomely wrote under similer conditions.

"It ain't no use to grumble and complain,
It's just as cheap and as easy to rejoice.
When God sorts out the weather and sends rain,
Why, rain's my choice."

In writing of the so-called eccentricities of so-called men of genius, a "Student" says in the "New Century Path:" "But it is time that we ceased to condone the moral pervert simply because at odd times he catches sight of the sun and the stars. In order to glimpse the sunlight one need not stand with one's feet in a sewer." A greater truth was never uttered in fewer words. Let the young men and women of today keep out of the sewers if they would see the sunlight in literature or in anything else.

Communicated

Editor DISPATCH.

Dear Sir: There are many who would believe that the Democratic party is limited in its selection of candidates for president and vice-president, and that the party under the existing conditions has not much available timber to select from.

Personally, I would favor a presidential candidate from the South for reasons that should be apparent to every good thinking citizen of this country. The South has been unwaiveringly loyal to the party; it has brainy and talented men; it has less political scandal than the Northern and Western states; the South has been in a measure tabooed since the Civil war, and it is high time now that all sectionalism should be forgotten and these differences obliterated.

The citizen of Texas and the citizen of Maine are an equal unit of the same body politic, and a change in selecting a president from a different section of the country would be refreshing. The South has furnished more of our renowned characters, including such as Washington and Jefferson, the first presidents, in proportion than any other section of the Union.

In order to show what variety of selections might be made of able and prominent men in whose hands and under whose administrations the country would prosper and be safe, I submit the following combination of tickets:

1.—President, Carmack, of Tennessee; vice-president, James D. Phelan, of California.

2.—Bailey, of Texas, and Patterson, of Penn.

3.—Clark, of Missouri, and McClellan, of N. Y.

4.—Judge Gray, of Deleware, and Carter Harrison, of Ill.

5.—Teller, of Colorado, and McClellan, of N. Y.

6.—Carter Harrison, of Ill., and Williams, of Miss.

7.—McClellan, of N. Y., and Harrison, of Ill.

This last would be a ticket of the two mayors of the largest two cities on the Western continent, and could be reversed if more acceptable.

My preference as to these tickets would be the order in which they are named, though the changes in combination would be unlimited as to the arrangement of vice-presidential candidates with the presidential candidates. There are numerous other candidates for the highest places on the ticket of able and safe men, and a party is not limited in its selection to candidates, the opposition to whom is strong enough to seriously handicap the party in the campaign. LOYAL DEMOCRAT.

Agrees With Grand Jury

By a recent decision from the Attorney General of the State Assessors of the different counties are obliged to assess all possessory rights, mining claims, etc., and to collect the taxes thereon at the time of assessing, in the same manner as other personal property taxes are collected against such person having no real estate. The tax on possessory rights cannot become a lien on any other property owned by the possessory claimant.—Ex.

This is exactly in accord with an earlier decision handed down by the late Mendocino Grand Jury.

FOR SALE: Canary birds, male and female. R. S. Spink, Talmage.

TRUSTEES EXPLAIN

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ing by boys, and a marshal who stands across the street with his back turned and lets them shake; of an ordinance against gambling, and of a marshal who stands by and watches a game of poker running; of drunken men using profane and obscene language in the streets and in the presence of passing women and children, while the marshal who desires their votes at the next election was too deaf to hear the offenders; of bicycles ridden on the sidewalks, and sidewalks unnecessarily blocked by rubbish. We say we have heard of such things, and as we cannot know who may be marshal next term, we only wanted the law in such shape that the incoming Board would not be hampered by having all their attempts toward better order thwarted without having a remedy at hand. It is very important that the legislative and police departments of a little town should work in harmony and the latter support the former. We didn't suppose our present marshal owned the office or had a life incumbency therein, and even if so, he must die some day; and we might get a poorer marshal than he.

It was the intention that one man might fill both offices, if worthy, capable and efficient, while if the people should make a mistake and elect a marshal who stood in the way of order and progress, and "stood in" with the lawless element, the board could minimize his power for evil by appointing an "Executive Officer" removable at any time, if he neglects his duty.

In conclusion we will say that the number of liquor licenses usually sold has been fourteen. These at the old rate of $130 per annum would produce a revenue of $1820. The slot machine license at the last produced at the rate of $2400 per annum. Combined revenue from the two sources $4220. Under the new ordinance were the saloons all to continue in business they would yield a revenue of $8400 per annum. However, we hardly expect this, but if one-half of them would continue in business it would yield a revenue of $4200 a year; and it is not probable that one-half of them will go out of business on account of the increase of the license. It is certain that if we do not get the additional revenue contemplated from the saloons a very heavy license must be imposed immediately upon the other lines of business in the town, and in addition to this our already heavy municipal tax rate will have to be increased this fall. Which of these alternatives shall be adopted now rests with the citizens of Ukiah.

Respectfully submitted,
THOS. CHARLTON AND
J. E. PEMBERTON,
The Hold over Trustees.

Important to District Attorneys

In a recent decision by the Supreme Court of this state, it is held that a district attorney cannot file an information charging a higher crime than that for which an accused party has been held to answer by the committing magistrate. In the case decided the lower court had held the defendant for manslaughter, but the district attorney filed an information for murder, as has heretofore been the frequent practice. The decision of the Supreme Court is based upon correct principles of law.

Conditions On the Coast

The situation on the coast on account of the steamer tie-up was getting serious. Three weeks without a steamer was reducing supplies of provisions and feed to the critical point. Glen Blair had been getting a meager supply from Caspar, but Caspar itself was running low. On the 21st a steamer arrived at Point Arena with freight for the Lumber company but none for the town. It was expected, however, that a steamer would arrive on the 26th or 27th with sixty tons of freight for the town.

P. H. Joseph, the well-known and popular jeweler, expects to be ready to move into his new quarters on State street tomorrow. The Mr. Joseph has done a good business at his old stand, his new location, being in one of the best blocks of the principal street, ought to add largely to his [illegible]

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